

MAY DAY BRINGS SNOW THROUGHOUT MOST OF MIDWEST

Forecast of Clearing Off
By Night But Continued Cool

Chicago, May 1—(AP)—Gales in vogue for May pole dancers in several middle-western states today as April's farewell showers turned to wet, swirling snow.

The May Day snowstorm centered over extreme northern Illinois, extreme eastern Wisconsin and western upper Michigan. Flurries were general over Minnesota, Iowa and extreme northern Wisconsin and snow was expected to move into northern and western lower Michigan later today.

The government weather bureau reported this was the fourth time in 63 years that a measurable amount of snow had fallen in Chicago in May. The fall was measured at .3 of an inch at 10:10 a. m. (Central Daylight time).

Mixed rain and snow was forecast to continue through midday and clear off by nightfall. The temperature, however, was expected to remain cool. Fair and rising temperatures were forecast for tomorrow in most of the middle west.

The snow, which followed a rain of .98 inch in Chicago, forced postponement of the National League baseball game between Boston and Chicago.

Forest Fires in East
The temperature was not expected to rise above 40 today, in contrast to a high of 73 yesterday.

The temperature in Milwaukee this morning was 34 and it was snowing. Western Wisconsin was cloudy.

North Dakota and Minnesota temperatures generally fell below freezing last night. The greatest 24-hour rainfall was at Meriden, Miss., with 2.78 inches but amounts exceeding an inch also were reported in Alabama, Missouri, Indiana, Washington and Oregon.

In the east warm weather continued for the fourth day. In New Jersey, 35 forest fires destroyed 2447 acres of woodland yesterday.

Furniture Mart Bank Robbed of \$2,843.05 Today

Chicago, May 1—(AP)—Working with split-second precision, five robbers raided the second-floor "bank" of the American Furniture Mart today during the spring sale exposition and escaped with \$2,843.05 in cash.

The gunmen, headed by a red-haired youth, marched in at the correct moment, terrorized seven women and five men in their well-planned holdup.

The Mart office operates a "bank" as a convenience for the hundreds of buyers and firm representatives here for the exposition. Checks are cashed and currency changed.

An armored express truck brought the day's cash from a north-side bank shortly before 10 a. m. Just after the guards left the office and Benjamin F. Adams began counting the money, the gunmen entered, ordered Adams and the others to lie on the floor, scooped up the money and fled.

They took a freight elevator to the basement of the skyscraper building on the lake front, walked calmly through a delivery door and sped off in their automobile, bearing Indiana license plates.

April Rains Ended Dry Conditions in Farm Belt

Washington, May 1—(AP)—The weather bureau reported today that April rains ended threatening drought conditions in much of the midwestern farm belt.

Preliminary reports for April indicated, the bureau said, that the soil was amply supplied with moisture for current needs in the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio river valleys and in the northern great plains.

While April rains improved agricultural conditions, the bureau said, abnormally low temperatures retarded planting of corn and cotton and the development of crops already seeded.

DRY VOTE TO COURT

Springfield, Ill., May 1—(AP)—The Illinois Supreme Court today was asked to decide whether the city of Albion, Edwards county, had voted wet or dry in the 1939 election. The appeal declared that the first count of ballots gave the decision to the wet forces by a vote of 481 to 480. Subsequently the Edwards county Circuit court held the drys won by a vote of 479 to 475.

Easter Killer



(NEA Telephotos.)
Albert Moran, 20, high school student, who confessed Easter morning attack-murder of 61-year-old Chicago widow, Mrs. Petronella Krawczyk, slain on way to church.

Terse News

GRAND DETOUR GRANGE
The Grand Detour Grange will meet Friday evening. A short program will follow the business meeting and refreshments will be served.

CLAIMS UNPAID TAX
The Illinois department of Finance today filed an action in Lee county Circuit court seeking judgment in the sum of \$450 from the Dixon Floral Co., a corporation. The amount is claimed for unpaid sales tax.

BEG YOUR PARDON
The Telegraph, last evening, erroneously announced a second meeting of milk handlers of this vicinity would be held in Dixon this evening. The meeting will not be held until next Wednesday evening, May 8.

WHEREABOUTS UNKNOWN
James Sword, Sr., of Woodstock stated today that the whereabouts of James Sword, Jr., stated in the obituary of his grandfather, Lawrence Adair, as living in Chicago, is unknown. The family has not heard from him since he left Harvey, Ill., about March 1, 1932.

STIFF SENTENCE
Guy Gilbert of Polo, arrested Monday at Polo by State Police Officer Harry Strock of Freeport, after a three mile chase on state route 26, was fined \$100 and costs and sentenced to ten days in the Ogle county jail when arraigned before County Judge Phil Nye of Ogle county in Oregon Tuesday afternoon. Gilbert's driving license was also revoked for a period of six months.

FOR SALVATION ARMY
Mayor William Slothower has granted a permit for the annual

Nudelman and Force to Get Their Checks Today

Springfield, Ill., May 1—(AP)—State Auditor Edward J. Barrett today declined to recognize Lieut. Gov. John Stelle's "dismissal" of Finance Director Samuel L. Nudelman with the announcement that Nudelman's salary check would be issued later today.

Checks for Nudelman and 1,100 finance department employees were held up for two days after the date on which other code department workers were paid. The employees also will receive their pay vouchers today, it was announced.

Stelle, a primary election ally of Auditor Barrett, sent Nudelman a letter of dismissal when the lieutenant governor proclaimed himself acting governor. Stelle gave up his disputed claim to the governorship yesterday when he presided over the state Senate.

Barrett "Sure Martin Not Party to Illegal Crediting" of April Votes

Bloomington, Ill., May 1—(AP)—State Auditor Edward J. Barrett filed a petition yesterday in Circuit court alleging he was deprived of 31,500 ballots in the April 9 primary election and asking for a recount in six counties. Barrett contended an accurate count would show he defeated John C. Martin, Democratic congressman-at-large, for the Democratic nomination for state auditor.

The state canvassing board found Martin the winner by 17,815 votes. Martin was backed by the Horner and Kelly-Nash organizations. Barrett ran on an insurgent ticket.

Barrett's petition asserted Martin was "illegally credited" with 25,000 votes in Cook county, 1,000 in McLean, 2,000 in Madison, 2,000

TORNADIC WINDS, FLOODS FATAL TO 14, MANY INJURED

Illinois, Arkansas, East
Texas, Missouri in
Storms' Paths

By The Associated Press
Tornadic winds ripping across sections of southern Illinois, south-east Missouri and Arkansas and a cloudburst in east Texas killed at least 14 persons, injured many and caused thousands of dollars damage last night.

Six were killed and eight injured, one critically, near Benton, Ark., as a tornado cut a 75-foot swath through a sparsely-settled rural section.

At least three were killed and an unestimated number were injured as tornadoes bounced over southeastern Missouri and southern Illinois. Seventeen persons from both states were taken to a Cairo, Ill., hospital. Six were hurt at Marion, Ill.

J. E. McNeese, 70, of Richland, Tex., his wife and his son, Cecil, 30, were killed when wind demolished their home. The 18-month-old daughter of Mrs. Ted Cook of Frankfort, Texas, was torn from her mother's arms by a flood and drowned. A cloudburst washed the Cook family and others from beneath a culvert, where they had taken refuge.

Mrs. Ruby Hawks was killed when a building collapsed during a heavy windstorm at Grand River, Ky.

A wind storm uprooted trees and unroofed several buildings at Owensboro, Ky.

TWILIGHT TORNADO
Cairo, Ill., May 1—(AP)—A twilight tornado that had lashed its fatal fury in Arkansas and southeast Missouri knifed across southern Illinois last night, injuring at least a score of persons.

In Missouri, three persons were killed near Sikeston. Destruction was reported at Marion, Mounds, Mound City, America, Cache, Golconda and Vienna—all Illinois towns.

Seventeen persons were undergoing treatment in a hospital here today—nine from wounds, one from Mound City, and six from nearby Missouri towns. A negro woman from Mounds and a white baby from Charleston, Mo., were reported in critical condition.

Five people were injured at Marion, where houses were blown off their foundations—resulting in several fires, trees uprooted and windows shattered in business establishments. Several negroes were reported hurt near America.

The wind wrecked a store building, three barns and a negro church at Cache, CCC workers at Dixon Springs were called out to corral cattle freed by the flattening gale. Some livestock was killed.

Communication Lines Down
Communication lines were down in several places.

Tom Perks of Mound City said he saw a twister form about two miles south of Mounds, where more than a dozen farm homes were destroyed or damaged.

Several homes and barns were damaged between Golconda and Vienna.

The twister slashed a patch across Pope county to Rosiclare, first striking Rock, a community 10 miles northwest of Golconda, where a general store was demolished. Two miles northwest of Golconda six barns were wrecked and one home was damaged. In the same neighborhood three occupants of the "Country Home", a dining place, escaped injury when the roof was first lifted off the two story building and then dropped through the building to the first floor.

One whole orchard was uprooted near Golconda but the only damage in that city was a broken coping on a bank building.

A rural church was destroyed near Rosiclare. One woman hospitalized here, Mrs. Stone Fisher of Mounds, said she had been holding her children, Betty and Jimmy, in a rocking chair when the tornado hit their

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Dixonites' Help in Final Census Drive Requested

The final drive to complete the sixteenth decennial census of the United States is now in progress throughout the entire nation. Area managers, supervisors and enumerators have been advised by the Census Bureau at Washington to do everything possible to rush the work to an early conclusion. All have been warned, however, to make a special effort to have the enumeration as complete as is humanly possible in every city, hamlet and village in the country.

Chambers of Commerce, civic organizations and individual citizens have been asked to co-operate in the final drive, and in every instance throughout the thirteenth congressional district, which includes Dixon, all have responded in a commendable manner according to announcement made at the district office in Freeport today.

In order that the enumeration in Dixon may be complete and that this community receives the population report to which it is entitled, citizens are asked to aid in the final drive. To assist in carrying out the work to a successful conclusion citizens in this section who believe they have not been enumerated are asked to communicate with the local Chamber of Commerce or directly with the district headquarters, 315 Federal building, Freeport.

Cooperation Asked
Those who are of the opinion they have not been included in the enumeration are asked to give their names and addresses, together with the number of persons in their respective households who have not been included in the census. A letter or postcard to the Freeport census bureau will be sufficient to aid in

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66 New Members Join Chamber of Commerce Lately

R. W. Bogue was elected chairman of the second group of retail merchants at a meeting held last evening at the Chamber of Commerce. The group is composed of merchants engaged in the following businesses: dry goods, clothing, hardware, jewelers, druggists, ready-to-wear and retail dealers. The first group of grocers and butchers was organized previously and group three, to be automotive dealers and service station proprietors, will be organized shortly.

President Walter Knack of the Chamber of Commerce notified the merchants that 66 new members had been associated with the Chamber and added to this group. He emphasized the importance of the Fourth of July celebration and Homecoming, proper observance of Labor Day and future events to be held for farmers of this vicinity.

The subject of uniform closing hours to be observed during the summer months was discussed and it was decided that group 2 would close their places of business at 5 o'clock each evening, except Saturday, from Monday, June 3 until Labor Day. President Knack urged that each member of the group receive copies of the weekly brief published by the Illinois Federation of Retail Associations. The next meeting of the group will be held the latter part of May and in all probability will be a dinner meeting.

In addressing the large group of merchants composing the second group, President Knack said:

Knack Pledges Aid
"This is the second group of business men of our city who have been called together to participate in the activities of the Dixon

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The Weather

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1940

(By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and Vicinity: Snow and rain today; cloudy and continued cool tonight, with lowest temperature about 34; becoming fair Thursday with slowly rising temperature; fresh northwesterly winds, diminishing Thursday.

Illinois: Cloudy in extreme north fair in south and central, continued cool with scattered light frost in extreme south; light to heavy frost frost in central portion tonight, Thursday fair with rising temperature.

Wisconsin: Mostly cloudy and continued cold, with temperatures below freezing in north and west tonight; Thursday fair with slowly rising temperature in west and central, considerable cloudiness in extreme east.

Iowa: Fair in west, becoming fair in east, continued cold with light to heavy frost tonight; Thursday fair with rising temperature.

LOCAL WEATHER
For the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today: maximum temperature 66, minimum 37; part cloudy; precipitation, rain and snow, .24 inches, total for April 3.21 inches, total for year to date 9.27 inches.

Thursday: sun rises at 4:58; sets at 6:56.

STATE GOP SEEKS LIBERAL REFORMS FOR OLD AGE LAW

Would Require Minimum
Pensions of Thirty
Dollars a Month

Springfield, Ill., May 1—(AP)—Republicans launched in the Senate today a move to further liberalize the Illinois old age assistance program by requiring the state to pay minimum pensions of \$30 monthly instead of the present \$30 maximum.

Senator Charles H. Thompson (R-Harrisburg) proposed the minimum dollar a day pensions in an amendment to the Democratic administration bill which merely would increase the present \$30 maximum pension level to \$40, based upon pensioners' needs.

The Thompson amendment would provide that pensions would range between \$30 and \$40 monthly, depending upon the needs of recipients.

Republican Senators charged during sharp debate that the administration bill would benefit only a small part of the 139,000 aged persons now receiving old age assistance.

Senator Harold G. Ward, Chicago, Democratic floor leader and sponsor of the administration bill, attempted today to have it advanced to third reading—the passage stage—but failed when the Republican bloc insisted that it be held up for hearings next week.

Gunning Raps Ward Plan
Senator Thomas P. Gunning, Princeton Republican, claimed that under the Ward \$40 maximum pension plan "only about two per cent of those now on the pension rolls will get any increased allowances".

Gunning said only those pensioners now receiving the maximum of \$30 a month would be eligible for increases.

Senator Earl B. Searcy (R-Springfield) called the Ward bill a "come on". Searcy asked Ward if he "honestly thought" that the general pension level (now averaging \$20.54 monthly per pensioner) would go up if the ceiling were raised to \$40.

"Of course, on the basis of need," Senator Ward replied. The Senate at the conclusion of the debate held all pension bills on second reading the amendment stage—and recessed until next Tuesday.

Another pending bill, by Senator Thomas E. Madden (D-Peoria) would raise the pension maximum to \$40 and also provide a \$1,000 insurance and homestead exemption in determining needs of pension applicants.

TO PROBE PAYROLLS

Payrolls and other expenditures of the Horner state administration became the target today of an election-year investigation by a legislative committee controlled by Republicans.

Rep. Clinton Searle of Rock Island, known as one of the legislature's severest GOP critics of the Democratic administration, was chosen chairman of the seven-member investigating committee created yesterday by the house of representatives on the opening day of the general assembly's special session.

The committee was granted broad powers to delve into all of the state government's financial operators—including the "use or diversion of state funds". This was generally interpreted to mean the committee would inquire into charges of Democratic political fund collections from state employees in the recent primary campaign.

Sponsored by Republicans, the investigation resolution sped through the house 136 to 0. Administration Democrats offered no

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Palmyra Decides Not to Purchase Right of Way for Route 87

Greater interest was manifest in the special election in Palmyra township yesterday over the proposition of purchasing the necessary right of way for state route 87 than was shown in the primary of two weeks ago. The opposition mustered the greater strength and cast 164 votes against purchasing the right of way while 115 ballots were cast by those who favored obtaining the required land and hastening construction of the new route which would extend almost directly south from Cavanaugh's corners to connect with U. S. route 30, the Lincoln Highway.

The proposal was quite bitterly contested with Supervisor Leon Hart appearing as one of the principle objectors. Town Clerk Martin Lenox was in favor of the township obtaining the right of way and thus permit construction of the 14-mile stretch of concrete paving, on the grounds that the improvement would be of considerable economic benefit to the township.

Allies' Position in Central Norway Admittedly "Dangerous and Obscure": Attitude of Italy Also Gives Concern

Clip and Keep This War Map



The Telegraph herewith presents a handy map of the Norwegian war theater, which it urges readers who wish to keep detailed track of activities to clip, as localities will be indicated in the text of the war stories so they can easily be found on the map.

Capture of Hitler This Month is Worth Million Dollars to Group of Pittsburgh Men: Offer Reward

The War Today!

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE

There is some dispute whether the Germans actually have established full communication between Oslo and their garrison in the strategic rail-head of Trondheim, but there can be no doubt that the nazis have won a very considerable victory.

Immediate concern of the allies and their supporters had turned to the effect of the blow to allied prestige and the corresponding rise in nazi stock, rather than to the military results.

The war will be neither won nor lost in Norway, but this is a bad time for a major military setback, since it might stampede some nervous neutrals into hasty military commitments. Quick recognition of this danger came in Britain's sudden order diverting all her mercantile traffic from the Mediterranean—a blunt indication that she was suspicious of Italy's intentions.

So far as one can see from this distance the probabilities are that this sensational move was inspired by precaution rather than any definite sign that Signor Mussolini was preparing to join Hitler. This maneuver also would serve as a warning to Rome to sit tight and not be stampeded by the Norwegian situation.

The British doubts of Il Duce's position have been aroused by the steady stream of anti-ally, pro-German propaganda which has been coming recently out of Italy. However, Rome dispatches report today that there is no sign of any rush to the German side.

There is small doubt that one of

Recalls Daring Scheme of Few Doughboys to Kidnap Kaiser

New York, May 1—(AP)—A Pittsburgh group offered today to pay a million dollar reward for the capture of Adolf Hitler, unhurt, but specified that the German fuhrer must be delivered into the custody of the League of Nations before the end of May.

Samuel Harden Church, president of the \$28,000,000 Carnegie Institute, announced the offer on behalf of an unnamed group, which he said was acting "in good faith," in a letter to the New York Times.

The unusual proposal brought back recollections of a daring Post-World war scheme of a group of American soldiers to kidnap the German Kaiser from his refuge in Holland.

In his letter, Church said that Hitler should be delivered "for trial before a high court of justice for his crimes against the peace and dignity of the world".

Church said in a telephone interview with the Times that the proposal had been discussed for some time among some members of the Duquesne Club of Pittsburgh after private advices reached them saying Hitler planned an attempt to break through on the Western front soon.

Shortly after the armistice of 1918 a band of Americans who had served with the A. E. F. among them Col. Luke Lea of Tennessee and Larry MacPhail, now president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, secretly

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these days Mussolini will have to make a quick decision and get in to the war. One would expect him to

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M. I. T. Dekes "Abduct" Comedian on Way to Harvard Fete; Riot Follows

Cambridge, Mass., May 1—(AP)—The first riot of spring occurred last night in Harvard Square and seven Harvard students were arrested for disturbing the peace. They were fined \$5 each today. The riot, which embodied all the usual features of Harvard Square spring disturbances, apparently developed from a combination of the warm evening air and the fact that a group of Massachusetts Institute of Technology students put one over on the Harvards by "abducting" Eddie "Rochester" Anderson, Negro comedian on the Jack Benny radio program. Rochester, scheduled to appear at a Harvard smoker, turned up instead at the Delta Kappa Epsilon house at M. I. T., after being persuaded by a group of Dekes to leave his plane at Providence, R. I., and motor to Cambridge. The comedian thought he was at Harvard until two hours later. The riot which found some 200 students milling around in the Square, followed soon after, giving police quite a workout for about an hour.

British Shipping Di- verted from Medi- terranean Sea

International

(By The Associated Press)

London—Military spokesman admits dark outlook for allies in Norway, but questions effectiveness of new nazi gains; air ministry reports heavy attacks on German air bases; Britain diversifies shipping from Mediterranean in alarm over Italy's intentions.

Berlin—Germans report nazi advances continuing in Norway; say their fliers sank a British cruiser, destroyer and five transports, bombed others.

Paris—Foreign ministry spokesman says Italian attitude toward allies "has become definitely alarming".

Rome—United States Ambassador William Phillips sees Mussolini to get first-hand information on Italy's plans.

Stockholm—Swedish reports say Norwegian troops still stand between German Trondheim and Oslo forces.

Oslo—Fate of Norwegian and allied troops south of Trondheim uncertain.

London—German bomber crashes into east coast resort, causing at least three deaths and injuring 95, heaviest civilian casualties of war.

Moscow—War Commissar Voroshiloff says Russia "is only standing aloof from the war".

By The Associated Press
Peril to the security of their flanks in northern and southern Europe had the allied war leaders plainly worried today.

The menace in the north, where fast-driving German columns apparently have clamped a stranglehold on central Norway, was acknowledged by a British military spokesman.

He admitted that nazi advances there had put the allies in a "dangerous and very obscure" position. A British war office communication announced that British troops had withdrawn to "prepared positions" after resisting German attacks in the Dombas area (see map, L7), 100 miles south of Trondheim (08). It called the situation at Namsos (R9) 100 miles north of Trondheim, "unchanged" and that at Narvik, Norway's Arctic iron ore port, "satisfactory".

In Stockholm, unconfirmed reports said Norwegian forces had re-occupied Støren, (N8) railroad junction 100 miles south of Trondheim, and Roros (M9) advance post of the nazis' northward drive from Oslo through the Oster valley.

Presumably, however, the Germans had withdrawn voluntarily if these reports were true since the German tactics are to strike swiftly to snap allied communication lines then fall back to await reinforcements before consolidating outposts.

The threat in the south was that Italy might throw her might into the nazi scales. Britain, as a precaution, has ordered suspension of her merchant shipping traffic through the Mediterranean. In Paris, a foreign ministry spokesman declared that the Italian attitude toward the allies "has been

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Norwegians and Danes Now Able to Deposit Cash

Washington, May 1—(AP)—Without debate, the house completed congressional action today on legislation empowering President Roosevelt to regulate transactions in foreign-held American investments during emergencies.

The senate-approved measure was called up by Rep. Williams (D-Mo.), and Acting Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) merely announced that without objection it was approved.

It now goes to the president for signature.

The bill was drafted in reply to some questions that had been raised about the legality of an executive order of the president at the beginning of Germany's invasion of Scandinavia which would "freeze" Danish and Norwegian credits in this country and thus prevent their withdrawal.

Also today, the treasury authorized all Danes and Norwegians to make deposits in American banks, but continued restrictions on withdrawals from American accounts.

The ruling was in the form of a general license and was intended to obviate the necessity of granting individual licenses every time a Dane or a Norwegian wanted to put money into a bank.

The "freezing" order by Roosevelt April 10 had by its nature restricted deposits as well as withdrawals, and today's order was to simplify depositing transactions.

FRANKLIN GROVE

Miss Grace Pearl
Correspondent

If you miss your paper call
Howard Karper

Glenn Cluts of Rockford was a week end guest in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Ella Thomas.

Misses Eunice and Lucy Gilbert motored to Compton Sunday where they enjoyed dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Arnold and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blank of Morrison were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross.

Ernest Miller of St. Charles was here Saturday visiting his mother, Mrs. Eva Miller.

Mrs. Rebecca Colwell returned home Sunday after a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elliott Arnold and family at Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller, Mrs. Eva Miller and daughter, Miss Eunice were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller.

Dr. and Mrs. Banker motored to Aurora Thursday where they enjoyed a birthday dinner with grandson Jimmy Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Myers.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Lahman have returned home from their winter stay in Texas.

Miss Alice Hansen who teaches the Kilmer school will close her school this week with a picnic. This completes several years of teaching in that school for Miss Alice which is a splendid record.

Mrs. Eva Miller and daughter, Miss Eunice entertained Mr. and Mrs. Will Black and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller and daughter Vivian with a waffle supper Sunday evening.

Mrs. Fred Schreder entertained for dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kinney and family from Lee Center, Mr. and Mrs. John Herrera.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Myers had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Fair and family from west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Hecker of Mt. Morris were Sunday guests in the Mrs. Rose Senger home.

Virgil Wasson, son of Mrs. Blanche Wasson left Sunday afternoon for Chicago where he will again work on a canal boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller entertained for supper Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Resinger and family of Gary, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas and family of Mt. Morris.

Mrs. Amanda Cluts of Rochelle was a week end guest in the Raymond Hood home.

Miss Marie Thompson, who teaches school at Byron and a former teacher of the local school was here Sunday calling on friends she made while a teacher at this place.

Ed Ainsworth of Cedar Rapids, Iowa and Miss Vina Doerhoff of Mt. Morris were Saturday afternoon guests in the home of O. O. and Jay Miller.

Russell Group spent Sunday in Elgin where he attended a meeting of the young people of the Church of the Brethren.

Kenneth Wasson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wasson left Friday for Chicago where he will be again employed on a canal boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Biesecker and family of Chicago were here Sunday visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Butler and daughter Mary Louise motored to Milledgeville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson of Chicago were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford.

Mrs. Harold Spratt and two daughters of Chicago are spending the week in the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Patch and with other relatives.

Mrs. Addie Rockwood of Waterloo, Wis. is visiting in the home of her niece, Mrs. W. L. Moore. Mrs. Rockwood is a sister of Mrs. Annis Roe.

Dr. and Mrs. Will Shenke came out from Chicago for a week's stay in their summer home here.

Miss Bertha Reigle who teaches school in Chicago is enjoying the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Reigle at this place.

Warren George who has spent the winter in the southern state has returned to this place and has his tent in the vacant lot next to the Fruit garage.

Prof. and Mrs. Henry Helmerhausen of Chicago are spending a week or more in their summer home at this place.

Mrs. Eliza Dysart of Dixon was

a week end guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Bettendorff and family.

Dinner in Amboy

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shoemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Patch and son Jimmy, and Mrs. Mary Patch and their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spratt and two daughters of Chicago were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Patch in Amboy.

Aid Meeting

The Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday, May 2nd with Mrs. Will Black, assisting her will be Mrs. Chester Dierdorff, Mrs. Eva Miller will have charge of the devotions.

Hobby Show

The second annual Hobby Show will be held in the Kersten gym Saturday, May 4th from 2 P. M. to 5 P. M. and will open again from 7 P. M. to 10 P. M. This year a space is being reserved for "pets." All pets should be properly housed in cages of substantial construction, attractive and roomy; pets should be clean, well groomed and healthy.

Following is a plan of schedule for entries to be made:

Friday, May 3—Have all hobbies at the gym by 5 P. M.

Saturday—Those who have not brought in their exhibits Friday please bring them in by 10 A. M. Doors will be open at 2 P. M.

As the hobbies are to be judged between 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. it is requested that all exhibitors follow this schedule as closely as possible.

R. Y. P. D. Party

The Young People's department of the Brethren church enjoyed a party Thursday evening in the home of Miss June Miller. About twenty young people were present to enjoy the occasion. The first on the program was a scavenger hunt. Russel Group was the captain of one side and Miss Adeline Smith of the other. In the final count Russel's side won. The rest of the evening was spent in various games after which refreshments were served by the committee who had the party in charge, which was composed of Russel Group, Howard Byer, Misses Ila Blocher and Elcie Cluts.

Attended Exercises

Misses Adella and Alice Helmerhausen attended the commencement exercises for the rural schools held in Ashton Thursday evening. Miss Alice who had taught the Kilmer school the past seven years had pupils in the class.

Alumni Meeting

Miss Adella Helmerhausen entertained the members of the Phenix Banister Stultz alumni of the N. I. T. S. C. of DeKalb and a few of the DeKalb faculty. The meeting was opened by the president, Miss Harriet Sheap. Mrs. Karl Adams of DeKalb gave a very inspiring talk. Prof. Street discussed several normal topics. Mrs. Street responded with a pleasing talk. Misses Adeline Smith and Maxine Kelly favored with a song as did the Miller sisters, Audra and Jeanet. Miss Josephine Kelley accompanied both numbers. Miss Harriet Sheap read a number of her poems which was enjoyed very much. At the close of the program the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church served tea. The next meeting will be held June 15 at Miss Harriet Sheap.

Completely Surprised

L. E. Graves was completely surprised Sunday noon was a group of about twenty-five gathered at his home with well filled baskets for a scramble dinner. The dinner was in honor of his birthday anniversary. The affair was planned by his wife. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bruckhart, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cluts and Mrs. Amanda Cluts of Rochelle; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Ventler and son of Ashton, Glenn Cluts of Rockford, Bernell Cluts of Dixon and Miss Elcie Klepper of Mt. Morris; Mr. Conley of Huntley; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Will Black and family, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cluts, Miss Elcie, Merel and Harlan Cluts of this place. At a late hour in the afternoon the guests departed wishing "Louie" many more happy birthdays.

Woman's Club

The Franklin Grove Woman's club will meet Monday, May 6 at 1:30 P. M. note this change in time. The Woman's clubs throughout the nation are celebrating the 50th anniversary of the National Federation of Women's club and the Federation's constitution of April 1890. The Franklin Grove club members and their friends will celebrate this event with a Golden Jubilee Tea and open meeting at this time. The Indian

Welfare Department will have charge of the program.

A very interesting program is being planned. Mrs. Zoe H. Seidwich of Milledgeville will be the speaker and she has chosen as her topic, "Artcraft and Weaving". Mrs. Seidwich will bring a spinning wheel and loom to demonstrate her work, also some of her finished work to show. The program will also include:

God Bless America—Group singing
Piano solo—Mrs. Minnetta Moore

Vocal duet—Josephine and Maxine Kuel

History of the National Federation—Mrs. Margaret Patterson
History of the Franklin Grove club—Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes

Anyone having any antiques is asked to bring them to display.

It is desired a good attendance at this meeting.

Hostesses are: Mesdames Della Gilbert, chairman, Alma Crawford, Clara Wolford, Frances Wendel, Grace Breunier, Nona Schultz, Elizabeth Durkes, Lucile Kinsley, and Alice Burhenn.

Remember the change in time 1:30 P. M. May 6 at the Kersten gym.

The second toxoid for diphtheria and the vaccination for smallpox will be given at the Kersten gymnasium at Franklin Grove at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon, May 3.

The toxoid will be given in one arm, the smallpox vaccine in the other. This will complete the vaccination program sponsored by the Parent-Teachers Association and in order that the records may be completed and filed immediately, full payment for the treatments will be sincerely appreciated.

W. C. T. U. Notes

The W. C. T. U. will meet on Friday, May 3 at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. Verda Blocher. The program topic is Alcohol Education. Program leader, Mrs. O. D. Buck. Roll call. Bible quotations on strong drink.

It is hoped that there will be a full attendance as there has been no meeting since March and there is much of interest to be discussed.

Contract Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kint entertained the members of the Contract bridge club at their home Thursday evening. At contract William Herbst won honor. This was the closing game of the year. Later the losers will entertain the winners. Lovely refreshments were enjoyed.

Lutheran Church Notes

Preaching 8:45.
Sunday school 9:30. P. M.
The public is invited to both services.

WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Warling
Reporter
Telephone L291

A group of friends were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Clark Metz on Sunday evening for dinner as a surprise for Dr. Metz and in honor of his birthday. Guests were: Dr. and Mrs. W. Smeltzer of Mendota, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kasten, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fink and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Odell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wilson.

Mrs. Laura Frederick returned home Saturday from Amboy where she had visited relatives for the past ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Anderson of Princeton were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kerchner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nyman and children and Mrs. C. E. Conner were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Husser in Dover.

Mrs. Ned Cater of Princeton was a Saturday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerchner.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Ganshow and children, Mrs. C. E. Conner, Grant Rensburg and son Perry, and Mrs. T. L. Young went to Chicago on Saturday, and Mrs. Young left Saturday evening from there for her home in Twisp, Wash. Mr. Rensburg and son Perry remained in Chicago to visit friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Webber and daughter moved the first of the week into an apartment in the Mrs. Agnes Stiver home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Dale of Manlius were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Whitver.

Mrs. Garfield Whittaker spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Dale near Manlius where other Sunday guests were Mrs. Eva Heurlin and Frank Hewitt.

AMBOY

Mrs. Harold Ankeny
Reporter
Phone 47—3 Rings

Birthday Party

The following gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herless Gitsch Saturday night for a scramble lunch: Mr. and Mrs. Lee Potts, daughters Marie and Frances of Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ditsch, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fane, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ankeny and Jean Burhenn of Amboy. The occasion was the birthday of Mrs. Ditsch. Mrs. Ditsch received many lovely gifts. At a late hour the guests departed wishing Mrs. Ditsch many more happy birthdays.

Attended Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Eckberg, Mrs. Nettie Virgil, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillson and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Underhill, all of Amboy, attended the funeral of John Rolfe Friday afternoon. Mr. Rolfe was the husband of the former Miss Helen Gagetetter, well known to many friends around Amboy and vicinity. The funeral was held at the LaGrange Methodist church. Mr. Rolfe was an instructor in the schools there for some time. Interment was in the DeKalb cemetery, being his former home.

Town Talk

The Ladies' Guild will meet with Mrs. Warren Leake on Wednesday, May 1st with Mrs. O. C. Holt and Mrs. Harold Peplot as assisting hostesses. Meet at the church for transportation at 1:30 p. m.

The Methodist Women's Association meets at Prophetstown May 8th.

Epworth League rally next Sunday, May 5th at Rock Falls Methodist church.

Charles Missman and Keith Irvin of Port Byron, Ill., who are going to the junior college at LaSalle, Ill., spent the week end at the George Missman home.

Jack Foley, Francis Foley, Joseph McGrath and D. J. Clayton were among those from Amboy who took the bus trip to points of interest in Chicago Saturday along with the other Dixon Telegraph carrier salesmen.

ASHTON

Mrs. Grace E. Linscott
Reporter, Phone 205

Luther League Meeting

The members of the Luther league of the St. John's Lutheran church will hold their business and social meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the church parlors. The committee in charge of refreshments will be Dorothy Meirath, Donald Cordes and Ralph Vogel.

Bradford Home Bureau

The Bradford unit of the Home Bureau held their meeting on Wednesday, April 24th at the home of Mrs. Roy Kenney. The roll call was answered with "My Treasure Piece and Its History." The major lesson "Accessories in the Home" was given by the home adviser, Miss Symptom. The minor lesson, "How to Present a Book Review," was given by Mrs. Fred G. Schafer.

After the business meeting a pleasant social hour was enjoyed and lovely refreshments were served to 10 members and three visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Justus Wagner who have been spending the winter months at their home in Bradenton, Florida, returned to Ashton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Putman were entertained at dinner on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Willis Houston in Rochelle.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Vaupel were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vaupel and son Francis of Leaf River. Saturday guests at the Vaupel home were George Vaupel and Mrs. Claude Drummond of Rochelle.

Miss Ella Vaupel is visiting at the home of her brother, William Vaupel in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett were visitors in Chicago last week.

The Washington Grove unit of the Home Bureau met at the home of Mrs. Ward Hedrick on April 24. The roll call was answered by "A New Standard I have adopted in Meal Planning." Mrs. Leland Tilton presented "Personality and Hygiene" as the major lesson. The minor topic, "First Aid Treatment of Shock" was given by Mrs. Ralph Sanford. Now is the time to make plans to attend the Home Bureau camp June 10, 11 and 12 at Camp Hauberg on the Mississippi at Port Byron.

Mrs. Ray Worthington, who is the unit chairman, had charge of the games which were played.

COMPTON

Miss Helen Arjes, Reporter
Phone 7-F-32

Ralph Thompson returned to the local hospital Saturday.

Dan Evens of Steward was brought to the hospital Sunday evening.

Sylvia McKinney had her tonsils removed.

Reta Ford has been ill for the past two weeks and is not improving.

William Poltsch has recovered from an infected hand.

Jake Ayes, who has suffered from an injured leg is now able to be up and around.

Dr. C. G. Pool attended the DeKalb county medical society meeting Thursday afternoon.

Thursday evening Dr. C. G. Pool gave an address at the Ashton school graduation exercises.

Dr. Pool spent Tuesday evening with his daughter in Streator.

The five hundred party was held at the home of Ida Archer, Lillian Bauer won first prize. Mabel Choan won second and Erna Archer won consolation.

Circle two of the Ladies Aid had a one o'clock luncheon at the home of Gladys Berry.

A new featherweight steam engine which compares in efficiency and weight with the Diesel engine has been tested in Germany.

Germany has reopened the bridges over the Vistula river, destroyed by bombing early in the Polish war.

RADIO

Outstanding Programs For Tonight and Tomorrow Listed

TONIGHT

6:00 Ben Bernie and All the Lads—WBBM
Hollywood Playhouse—WMAQ

6:30 Johnny Green's Orch.—WLS
Baseball—WIND

6:30 What Would You Have Done?—WLS
Avalon Time—WMAQ

7:00 Green Hornet—WCFL
Fred Allen—WMAQ

7:30 Star Theater—WBBM
Concert Miniature—WENR

7:30 Roy Shield's Revue—WENR
Anson Week's Orch.—WIND

8:00 Glenn Miller's Orch.—WBBM
Kay Kyser—WMAQ

8:30 Frank Black Presents—WENR
Prairie Folks—WENR

9:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Answer Man—WGN

9:15 Griff Williams' Orch.—WGN
Lanny Ross—WBBM

9:30 Sammy Kaye's Orch.—WBBM
Dick Jurgon's Orch.—WGN

10:00 Todd Hunter—WBBM
Richard Himber's Orch.—WLS

10:15 The Marriage Club—WENR
Mitchell Ayres' Orch.—WBBM

10:30 Ben Pollack's Orch.—WMAQ
Frankie Masters' Orch.—WGN

11:00 Ella Fitzgerald's Orch.—WMAQ
Music You Want—WENR

11:30 Pliner & Earl's Orch.—WBBM
Guy Lombardo's Orch.—WLS

11:30 Fabian Andre's Orch.—WMAQ
Ben Pollack's Orch.—WENR

THURSDAY

12:00 Light of the World—WMAQ
Young Dr. Malone—WOC

12:15 Arnold Grimm's Daughter—WMAQ
Girl Interne—WBBM

12:30 John Duffy's Music—WGN
Eddie & Fannie—WCFL

12:45 Valiant Lady—WMAQ
What's in a Name?—WMAQ

1:00 My Son and I—WBBM
Spotlight program—WCFL

1:00 Society Girl—WBBM
Story of Mary Martin—WMAQ

1:15 Gingsburgh's Concert Orch.—WGN
Orphans of Divorce—WLS

1:15 It Happened in Hollywood—WBBM
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill—WLS

1:30 Ma Perkins—WMAQ
Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ

1:45 John's Other Wife—WLS
Vic & Sade—WMAQ

Just Plain Bill—WLS

2:00 Ray Bloch Presents—WOC
Backstage Wife—WMAQ

2:30 Club Matinee—WENR
Baseball, Cubs vs. Bees—WGN, WBBM, WJJD and WCFL

2:45 Stella Dallas—WMAQ
Patterns in Swing—WOC

3:00 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Young Widder Brown—WMAQ

3:30 Painted Dreams—WLW
Woody Herman's Orch.—WMAQ

3:45 Girl Alone—WMAQ
Kathleen Norris—WCCO

3:50 Dick Kuhn's Orch.—WMT
Life Can Be Beautiful—WLW

3:55 Kitty Keene—WMAQ
Golden Store—WCCO

4:00 Midstream—WHO
Johnson Family—WMT

4:15 Scattergood Baines—WCCO
The O'Neills—WMAQ

4:30 Affairs of Anthony—WENR
Musical Bits—WENR

4:45 Musical Bits—WENR
Houseboat—Hannah

4:55 Uncle Mal's Stories—WMAQ
Ted Fio-Rito's Orch.—WGN

5:00 Dick Stabile's Orch.—WENR
Cameo Theater—WCFL

5:15 The World Today—WBBM
Rocky Gordon—WMAQ

5:30 Lowell Thomas—WLW
Little Orphan Annie—WGN

5:45 Jack Kelly's Orch.—WCFL
Easy Aces—WENR

5:55 Musical Entree—WMAQ
News of Europe—WMAQ

6:00 Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost Persons—WENR
Todd Hunter—WBBM

6:15 Vox Pop—WBBM
One of the Finest—WLS

6:30 Don Winslow of the Navy—WLW
Evening

6:45 Ask It Basket—WBBM
Musical Americana—WLS

6:55 District Attorney—WMAQ
Today's ball game—WIND

7:00 Strange As It Seems—WBBM
I Love a Mystery—WMAQ

7:15 Good News of 1940—WMAQ
Major Bowes' Amateurs—WBBM

7:30 Concert Miniature—WENR
Freddie Martin's Orch.—WENR

7:45 Rudy Vallee Program—WMAQ
Concert Orch.—WENR

8:00 Glenn Miller's Orch.—WMAQ
Music Hall—WMAQ

8:15 Chamber of Commerce Dinner—WENR
Columbia Workshop—WOC

8:30 Heart of Julia Blake—WBBM
Pleasure Time—WMAQ

8:45 Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Ten O'clock Final—WENR

9:15 Lanny Ross—WBBM
Dick Jurgon's Orch.—WGN

Preston Bradley—WMAQ

"MIDDLE-AGE" WOMEN

HEED THIS ADVICE!!

Society News

Phidian Art Club Holds Golden Anniversary Tea

"Fifty Years Phidian" echoed throughout the program and re-echoed in the theme carried to the refreshment table at the golden anniversary tea of the Phidian Art club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Z. W. Moss was entertaining at "Whitthorne", and had decorated her rooms with bouquets of yellow snapdragons, in keeping with the anniversary motif.

Besides marking the fiftieth anniversary of the club's founding, the event was also the occasion of the annual business meeting. Mrs. I. B. Hofer, whose efforts as president of the club have resulted in a splendid record of achievement during the past year, presided. New officers named were:

President, Mrs. Mark Keller, Sr.
Vice president, Mrs. Gordon Overstreet.
Recording secretary, Mrs. W. A. McNichols.
Corresponding secretary, Mrs. L. W. Walter.
Treasurer, Mrs. F. A. Hanson.
Finance chairman, Mrs. Hofer.

Rural Students to Hear A. T. Scovill

Prof. A. T. Scovill is to be the principal speaker at Commencement exercises being planned for the class of 1940 of rural schools in the vicinity of Dixon. Diplomas will be awarded to nearly 60 graduates during the program, which will be presented at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, May 9, in the Dixon high school auditorium.

The Commencement program has been outlined as follows:
Music, string ensemble.
March, string ensemble.
Invocation, the Rev. Herbert J. Doran.

Vocal solo, Mrs. I. B. Potter.
Readings, one-act play, "Columbine" and "Betty at the Baseball Game," Mrs. J. V. Ridolph.

Music, string ensemble.
Address, Prof. A. T. Scovill.
Presentation of diplomas, John A. Torrens, county superintendent of schools.

Benediction, Mr. Doran.
Music, string ensemble.
Composing the string ensemble are Donald Kieffer, Bill Haefliger, Kenneth Hecker, Mary Louise Smith, and Robert Tennant. Marilee Burns is their accompanist.

RETURN FROM EAST
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Crawford of Nachusa have returned from a visit with their son in Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Davis in Johnstown, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Davis formerly resided in Dixon, Mr. Davis having been a partner of the late Charles R. Walgreen in the drug business here.

If you prefer uncurtained windows in the summer, potted plants in artistic metal holders hung on each side of the windows and shelves of plants beneath is an attractive arrangement. Then, too, there are narrow glass shelves (these usually come in sets of two or three on a metal frame) that extend entirely across the window. Shelves like these are nice for small potted plants and colorful glass figurines.

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Dixon Couple Is Wed Fifty-Five Years



MR. AND MRS. VINCENT C. ARNOULD

Today marked the fifty-seventh wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent C. Arnould of 515 Hennepin avenue, pictured above. No formal celebration of the event was planned, although friends called informally throughout the day to offer best wishes and gifts, and relatives have arranged a family party for this evening.

Mrs. Arnould was formerly Miss Mary Kelly, and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kelly. She was 75 years old in February. Her husband, who was 79 last October, was a son of Remy and Eleanor (Antoine) Arnould.

The couple exchanged their nuptial vows, May 1, 1883, at St. Patrick's Catholic church in Dixon. The Rev. Father Tracy officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Arnould went to housekeeping on a farm near Ashton. Since 1914, they have resided in Dixon.

The Arnoulds have four children, including Rae A. Arnould, well-known Dixon real estate dealer; Mrs. Lawrence Dailey of Dixon, Mrs. Ray Tubbs of Amboy, and Vincent Arnould, Jr., of Ashton. There are also seven grandchildren, Gerald Arnould of Ashton, who is a junior at Western Illinois State Teachers college in Macomb, Ill.; Rosemary Tubbs, Amboy; and Richard, Mary, Paul, Anne and Neil Arnould of Dixon.

MRS. BEEDE IS FETED AT DINNER AT "SUNNY SKIES"

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Kelly will entertain at dinner Thursday evening at their Long Island home, "Sunny Skies", honoring Mrs. Alice Beede of this city and Mrs. Walter Saunders of Barquito, Chile. Mr. Kelly is president of the Anaconda Mining Company, with which Mr. Saunders is associated in South America.

IN CARLETON PLAY

Miss Jeanne Netzt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart S. Netzt of this city, will appear in the cast of Eugene Pilot's play, "My Lady Dream," at Carleton college in Northfield, Minn., Friday evening. The performance is a part of the experimental work of the advance production class in drama.

GIRL SCOUTS WILL PRACTICE

Dixon Girl Scouts will meet for rehearsal at the South Central school after school tomorrow, preparatory for a Scout Frolic to be held there on May 7.

BRIDGE CLUB
Mrs. A. C. Bowers entertained her bridge club Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Ruth Bovey held high score at the close of play.

Founders' Day Is Observed By Beta Sigma Phis

Thoughts of the sorority's founders were uppermost in the minds of Beta Sigma Phis of Gamma Mu chapter of Dixon and Gamma Xi chapter of Sterling at a joint Founders' Day banquet Monday evening at the Hotel Nachusa. Twenty-seven young women, in formal dress, were seated at a table artistically appointed in the sorority's colors, yellow and black.

Yellow roses, and gold and black tapers in black holders reflected the chosen colors of Beta Sigma Phi. Miss Alice Thomson, vice president of the local chapter, presided during the evening's program, which was presented as follows.

Greetings to Gamma Xi chapter, Miss Thomson; welcome to the pledges, Miss Lagmar Petersen; the history of the nine foundation years of the sorority, Miss Mary Ellen Hallett of Sterling; toast to members of the field staff who founded the Dixon and Sterling chapters, Miss Lucille Stouffer; and Miss Mary Janet Calous of Sterling; message from Walter Ross of Kansas City, president of the international office. Miss Thomson; vocal solos, "Our Love for Beta Sigma Phi," and "Follow the Torch," Miss Edith Hies, accompanied by Miss Thomson.

The initiatory ritual was exemplified for eight new members, including Miss Virginia Schumacher, Miss Hedi Rausch, and Mrs. Clifton Boyd of Dixon; Miss Marjorie King and Miss Eleanor Cobb of Sterling, and Miss Thomson were in charge of the initiation ceremony.

HI-TRI CLUB WILL ENTERTAIN

The Hi-tri club of Dixon high school will entertain Thursday evening with a Mother-Daughter banquet at the school. Mrs. Harry Warner will give the toast to the daughters, and Miss Evelyn Worsley will speak for the daughters.

G. A. R. CIRCLE
Members of G. A. R. circle will meet at 7 o'clock Thursday evening to go to Sea Scout headquarters to present an American flag to the ship, and will meet at 1 p. m. Friday to go to the Cook school for another flag presentation. They also plan to present an outside flag to Dixon high school soon.

Clubwomen Meet at Wilson Home

Sixteen members of the Practical club motored to the country yesterday for an afternoon meeting at the farm home of Mrs. Frank Wilson. Election of new officers, the radio program by the Dixon Woman's club chorus, and a paper read by Mrs. H. D. Bills occupied the group.

Mrs. Clark Rickard is the new president, succeeding Mrs. E. V. Mellott, who has served as the efficient head of the club for the past two years. Others elected were: Vice president, Mrs. W. E. Whitson; and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. L. E. Smith.

Mrs. Bills reviewed an article by Dr. Lee A. Stone, county health officer of Madera, Calif., which presents a vivid picture of the adverse side of the bitterness resulting from the migrant farm labor situation. Thousands of unfortunate persons have migrated from the devastated dust bowls of Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, boosting Madera county's population from 17,164 to 35,000 in the past ten years.

Cost of relief and welfare work, Mrs. Bills quoted the writer as stating, has risen from \$29,000 in 1931 to \$3,000,000 in 1939. Through his efforts, 26,000 new cottages for migrant laborers have been built.

"If we are ever going to get this army of foot-loose people off relief," Dr. Stone declares, "we must learn the practice of tolerance and patience, and we must have money to give these people a feeling of public responsibility in caring for fruit and vegetable farms that they may get a foothold in this new country."

A buffet lunch was served by Mrs. Wilson, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Claud Horton. Spring flowers were the center decoration on the refreshment table, where Mrs. E. V. Mellott assisted in serving.

The club members have been invited to the home of Mrs. C. A. Mellott for a garden party on May 14.

BENEFIT PARTY
Members of the Elks Ladies' Auxiliary will be hosting at a benefit card party this evening. They will entertain at 8 o'clock at the Elks club.

IN EVANSTON
Mrs. Henry S. Dixon and her daughter, Mrs. George T. Van Nuys are visiting relatives in Evanston this week.

Miss Crandall Is Complimented at Dinner, Shower

As the season advances into May, Miss Alice Crandall is engrossed with planning the details of her summer wedding to Dr. Gene Sullivan of Amboy, and she's busy, too, attending a series of pre-nuptial courtesies which have been planned in her honor. Last evening, Mrs. Edmund Gehant and her sister, Mrs. E. J. Coe of Springfield, were co-hostessing at a bridge-dinner and personal shower for Dr. Sullivan's fiancée. Twenty friends of the bride-to-be were included on the guest list.

Tulips and iris trimmed the candlelit table for the tea room dinner. Afterward, tables were formed for contract at the Gehant home on Galena avenue.

Mrs. Robert Brewster, Mrs. Frank Buckley, and the guest of honor shared score favors when tallies were compared.

NEWLYWEDS WILL LIVE IN DIXON

Miss Lillian Tompkins of Rock Falls became the bride of O. E. Meenen of Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meenen of Sterling, Sunday afternoon in a simple ceremony solemnized at the parsonage of St. Paul's Lutheran church in Clinton, Iowa. The Rev. Karl V. Tambert read the vows at 2 o'clock, with only the parents of the bridal pair witnessing the service.

The bride was wearing white accessories with her blue wedding frock. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tompkins, and was educated in the Rock Falls schools.

The couple opened a new sandwich shop and delicatessen at 116 North Peoria avenue today. The bridegroom's father owns a market and delicatessen in Sterling.

Because of its extremely light weight, amber is especially suited for spring and summer jewelry. Its varied shades, ranging from a pale buttercup yellow to cherry red and deep brown, are a perfect foil for popular spring colors.

Rhode Island once had laws providing penalties for refusal to accept public office on election.

The salary of a civil service employee cannot be garnished.

Clubwomen Will Conclude Reviews

Mrs. George Christianson's literary and library extension department of the Dixon Woman's club announces its sixth and final book review of the club season for 3:30 p. m. Friday, when Mrs. Adolph Eichler will discuss "The Great Tradition," by Frances Parkinson Keyes.

The historical novel tells the dramatic story of an artist, an attractive young man, embattled in a chaotic world. His father is a German aristocrat, and his mother, a brilliant American. After the World War, he is brought up by his mother in America, and the remainder of the story deals with his later life in Europe.

One critic has said: "Mrs. Keyes' range is bold and comprehensive, and 'The Great Tradition' is based on material both timely and significant, with an enormous vitality in both author and story."

As has been the custom all year, the public is invited to attend the review. Mrs. Christianson's co-workers during the year included Miss Margaret Kling, Mrs. Robert Fulton, Mrs. W. W. Roat, Mrs. F. A. Hanson, Mrs. Gerald Jones, and Mrs. Otis Burns.

TROUBADETTES WILL ENTERTAIN AT PROPHETSTOWN

Members of the Troubadette women's chorus have been invited to present an hour's program at the annual tea of the Prophetstown Woman's club at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The affair will be held in the Methodist church.

In addition to the chorus selections, Mrs. Wilbur Schreiner will entertain with a reading. Mrs. E. M. Goodsell will direct the singers, and Mrs. Lyle Prescott will be at the piano.

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Calendar

Tonight
Elks Ladies Auxiliary—Benefit card party at Elks club, 8 p. m.
E. R. B. class, St. Paul's Sunday school, at church, 7:45 P. M.

Thursday
Sugar Grove P.T. A.—Will hold postponed meeting.
Foreign Travel club—Will be guests of Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schade of Ashton, speakers.

Prairieville P.T. A.—Monthly meeting, 8 p. m.
Dixon chapter, Wa-Tan-Ye—Business meeting, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Miss Martha Meppin.

Unity Guild—All-day meeting; Mrs. Justin Darrah, hostess.

Sunshine class, Eldena Evangelical church—Miss Kathryn Fuestman, hostess.
W. F. M. S., Methodist church—Mrs. Orval Gearhart, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

St. Anne's parish—Will present play, "Lookin' Lovely," in St. Anne's hall, 8 p. m.
G. A. R. circle—Will present flag to Sea Scouts, 7 p. m.

Senior E. L. C. E. of Grace church—At church, 7:30 P. M.

Friday
Section Three, Aid Society of Grace church—Mrs. Ida Hartman, hostess, 2:30 P. M.
Dixon grade school orchestra—Will present concert in Dixon high school auditorium.

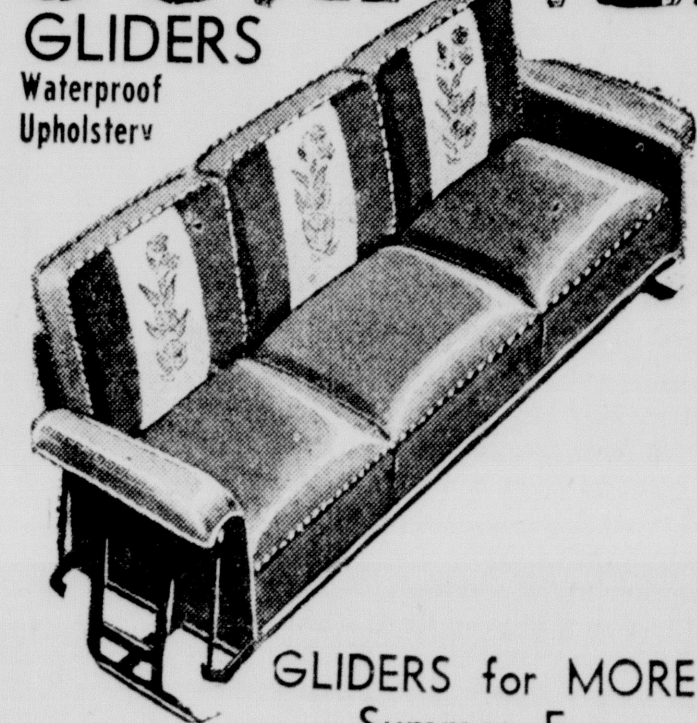
Elks Ladies' Auxiliary—Will play bridge, 2 P. M.
Junior class, Mt. Morris high school—Will present play "Foot Loose," in gymnasium.

Dixon Woman's club—Final book review, "The Great Tradition," to be given by Mrs. Adolph Eichler in high school music room.

South Dixon Community club—Mrs. Norman Miller, hostess.

Dixon chapter, O. E. S.—Initiation, 8 P. M.
G. A. R. circle—Will give flag to Cook school, 1 P. M.

Sale of SUMMER FURNITURE

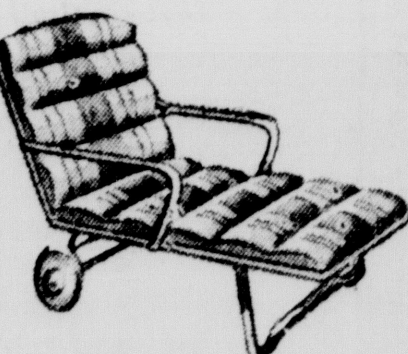


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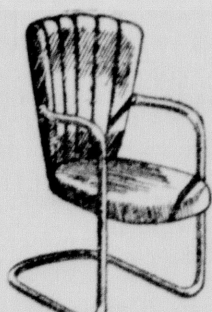
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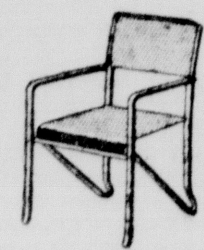
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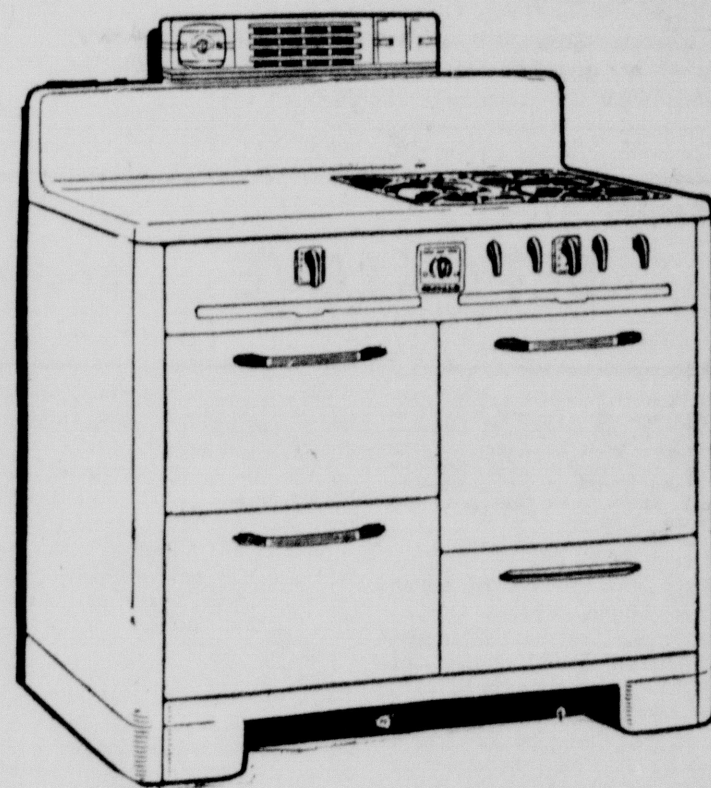
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- Abolish the Smoke Nuisance.
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GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests." From the Farewell Address.

Norway Had No Dies Committee

"Then entered Satan into Judas surnamed Iscariot, being in the number of the twelve.

"And he went his way, and communed with the chief priests and captains, how he might betray Him unto them.

"And they were glad, and covenanted with him to give him money.

"And he promised and sought opportunity to betray Him unto them in the absence of the multitude."

Then entered ambition into Vidkun surnamed Quisling, being in the number whose freedom had been guaranteed by the liberal laws of Norway.

And he went his way to Berlin, and communed with the nazis and the general staff, how he might betray Norway unto them.

And they were glad, and covenanted with him to give him some shreds and rags of power.

And he promised, and sought opportunity to betray Norway when his people should be unawares.

"And while he yet spake, lo, Judas, one of the twelve, came, and with him a great multitude with swords and staves, from the chief priests and elders of the people.

"Now he that betrayed Him gave them a sign, saying, whomsoever I shall kiss, that same is He; hold him fast. And forthwith he came to Jesus, and kissed Him.

"And Jesus said unto him, Friend, wherefore art thou come? Then came they, and laid hands on Jesus and took him."

And when Quisling had returned to the free position his tolerant fellow citizens had granted him, the German troops landed on the Norse coast.

And Quisling, who had vowed to serve his king, communed with the Germans, who insisted that he

be given by his own king the power they had promised him.

But the king would not, and the German troops marched inland.

"Then Judas, which had betrayed Him, when he saw that He was condemned, repented himself, and brought again the 30 pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders, saying, I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. And they said, what is that to us? See thou to that."

Then Quisling, who had betrayed his country, when he saw it ravaged brought to the Germans the phony premiership in a phony state which he had accepted as his price. And he resigned. And the Germans said, "Huh! You will do such work as we direct." And they set him to "demobilizing" his own people in the occupied territories of Norway.

"And Judas cast down the pieces of silver in the temple, and departed, and went and hanged himself."

But Quisling refused to follow the example of Judas in the only decent thing Judas did, but continued to place himself at the service of his German masters, doing whatever dirty little jobs they found for him, and clinging to the shreds of power which had been his price.

Meeting Ourselves

A rather moving letter arrived the other day from an American whose work has kept him abroad for the past 20 years.

"I have been reading all the books I can get about America and her history," it said. "I don't know when I will see home again—perhaps never. I love the story of America."

Perhaps he who has been long "among the alien corn" appreciates and loves his country best. But there are signs that Americans at home are also learning to know and love their own story. A single year saw the movies produce "Gone With the Wind," "Abe Lincoln in Illinois," "Union Pacific," "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington," "The Grapes of Wrath," "Northwest Passage," "Alexander Graham Bell," "Drums Along the Mohawk" and many other films on the American scene past and present.

While it is true that America is part of a world community, it is also true that she has something infinitely precious of her own. It is good to husband that heritage.

Nothing Sacred

One by one, mere man's last citadels have been falling.

Ever since the turn of the century, women have been advancing farther and farther into the field of business. Directly after the World War they came plunging into equality in politics. With prohibition, they invaded the speakeasies, and with repeal they blossomed in the cocktail bars. Even this last masculine refuge was lost to man.

But he still had close harmony. The old barbershop chords, so dear to the masculine heart when blended above some flowing bowl in soul-stirring if not always accurate harmonies, were still a little masculine domain uninvaded.

In Buffalo the other day somebody staged a barbershop harmony contest. Three girls entered. And won!

Three! Girls! Is nothing sacred?

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, May 1.—An official whisper from the British has quieted the first alarm within the administration over allied reverses in Norway. A military attaché at the British embassy has passed word around that Mr. Churchill is planning to put a couple hundred thousand troops into action there by mid-summer. . . . Hitler will no doubt do likewise. . . . A long and arduous struggle lasting many months is anticipated. . . . reverses or successes in current battles, therefore, cannot be decisive.

While the British may not be the best authorities on how long the struggle will last, realization is growing on high here that even the complete fall of Norway now to the Germans would not mean the end of the war. Apprehensive pressure for American "further steps" is thus easing.

Pro-Con.—The Tinkham charge that the administration has a plan for embarkation of troops at New York has raised one of those issues in which political debaters can draw opposite conclusions from the same set of facts.

The facts are: Evidence at an Interstate Commerce Commission hearing has shown that a railroad concentration plan for embarkation exists. War department will not comment officially but unofficially it is said. This only one of the numerous secret war plans which the government must necessarily keep ready for eventualities they do not expect. The government has, for instance, a plan for invasion of Mexico.

The troop embarkation plan was worked out in 1924 and kept up to date without major change.

Popularity.—The Democratic convention will not be unanimous for Roosevelt as first choice. This probably unimportant conclusion became evident when three elected Garner delegates in Wisconsin met and passed the word along here they would vote for their designated nominee under any circumstances. As all three are Irishmen there seems to be no reason for doubt.

Nearly everything else, however, is being taken by the Roosevelt forces. The leftwing Roosevelt managers have made as many mistakes as possible. The wrong state leaders have been chosen. Even conflicting leaders with self-opposing slates have been allowed to compete against one another by the southpaw non-professionals.

But with all their genius for error, they apparently could not make enough mistakes to offset the Roosevelt popularity. So while the delegates will assemble in Chicago, the convention will be held in Roosevelt's hat.

Congress has been sniffing suspiciously at the joint resolution expanding government power to handle foreign securities, but has not been able to find much wrong with it. The legislation gives the president specific power to declare a national emergency, then designate any agency to "investigate, regulate, or prohibit" any foreign properties. Presumably he could extract the gold tooth of an alien if so minded.

Republican legislators suspected this might include some other extra legal authority beyond what appeared on the surface. But they could not find evidence upon which to base a successful contest. One thing all could see in the bill, is the complete extent to which business may be managed from Washington the next time the United States is involved in a war.

The "logical" candidate, State Secretary Hull, has written several private letters to Democratic state chairmen (including Kansas), saying he has no aspirations for the presidency. This stand may not mean anything, but a Republican candidate, Senator Vandenberg, has recently discovered too many primary voters in Wisconsin and Nebraska believed him when he said he was not seeking the nomination. . . . Senate Democratic Leader Barkley has told his associates privately to make their personal arrangements for adjournment of congress around June 15. . . . C. O. Hardy, Brookings Institution specialist on banking, was the author of most of the 2,000 and more questions which the Wagner committee is asking government departments in its investigation of fiscal policies. . . . Newsmen flipped coins to decide who would call Virginia's grand old Senator Glass to ask him about gossip concerning his ensnarement by cupid. The loser hesitatingly telephoned, twice explained his embarrassment about asking the senator such a personal question, but was persuaded to submit it finally when Glass urged him to go ahead. When the question was put, Glass said: "That is a personal question," hung up.

A carpenter bee, when boring through wood, detours around nails before it actually reaches them.

News in Brief

Mrs. Gertrude Hill went to Chicago this morning where she is attending the clinic of the Homeopathic Medical association which is being held at the Stevens hotel today and tomorrow.

Mrs. Fred Kersten and daughter Miss Carol of Ashton township were shoppers in Dixon yesterday afternoon.

Milton A. Becker has returned from a visit in California and will be in his office after Thursday.

Mrs. Sam Stanfield has returned from a visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. John Stager of Sterling was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Z. W. Moss, yesterday.

Mrs. S. W. Lehman attended the funeral of a relative in Sterling yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Coe of Springfield is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edmund Gehant of Galena avenue.

Mrs. Herbert Hoon is somewhat improved, following a week's illness from influenza and complications.

Mrs. C. B. Morrison of Bluff Park, who has been confined to her room for many weeks from a fracture, is now able to be downstairs.

Avis June, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lee, submitted to an appendectomy last evening at Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital. She is an eighth grade student at South Central school.

Mrs. Frances (Callahan) Bartel of Sterling underwent an appendectomy Monday morning at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital.

Bill Burfeindt, 15, submitted to an appendectomy on Monday at Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital. His condition today was reported to be as good as could be expected.

was a guest of the Misses Ora and Hazel Paul, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. B. G. Wood attended the funeral of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Russell Scott at Sandwich, Ill., Monday afternoon.

Harold Steinhagen purchased the Evangelical parsonage which was sold at auction yesterday. Purchase price was \$1255.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Seas were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rosier at Freeport.

Mrs. Emory Schuh and daughter Patricia of Genoa are visiting her mother, Mrs. C. T. Bruce and other relatives.

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Mrs. Maude Reed Reporter Phone 78L

Townsend Meeting

Regular meeting of the Townsend club will be held Thursday night at 8:00 at the Legion hall.

A special letter will be read from the 12th district congressman. A scramble supper will be served following the meeting. All members are urged to be present at this meeting to which the public is invited.

20th Century Club

Eight members of the 20th Century club met at the country home of Mrs. Ollie Hedrich for their regular meeting on Monday night. Mrs. Edith J. Coffman, substitute for Mrs. Allan Hirsch gave a very interesting paper on "Citizenship." The next and last meeting of this year will be held Monday night, May 6, with the president, Mrs. Fred Lindemann. A pot-luck dinner will be served.

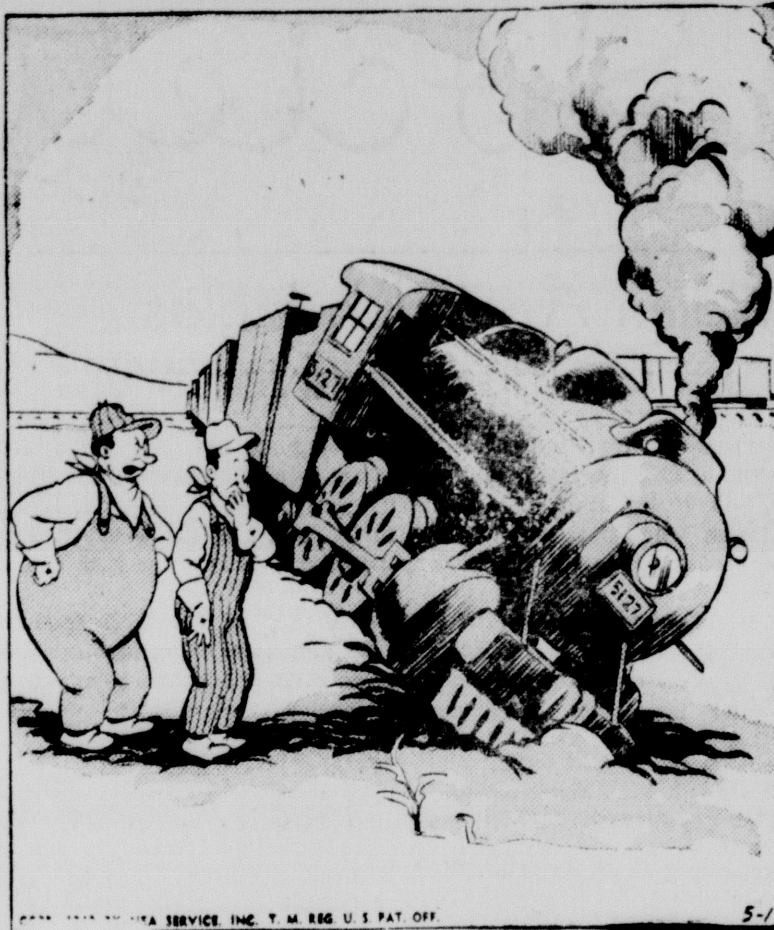
Bridge Club

Mrs. Edward Totenhagen was high score winner and Mrs. Charles Eckerd was low score winner at bridge on Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Kathryn Paap entertained the club.

Submits to Surgery

Albert Hanson submitted to major surgery Tuesday morning at the Dixon hospital.

HOLD EVERYTHING!



"You and your short cuts!"

Church News

Aid Society—Mrs. Ida Hartman 616 Galena avenue, will be hostess to Section Three of the Ladies' Aid society, Grace church, at 2:30 p. m. Friday. Visitors are welcome.

E. R. B. Class—The Misses Evelyn and Iva Mensch and Mrs. Harry Moore will entertain the E. R. B. class of St. Paul's church at 7:45 o'clock this evening at the church.

Anoma Class—The meeting which the Anoma class was to have held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Elton Scholl has been postponed indefinitely.

Senior E. L.—The Senior E. L. C. E. of Grace church will meet at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the church. The meeting place has been changed from the home of Mrs. John Shultz.

Lodge News

A. F. & A. M.—A special meeting of Friendship lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M., will be held at the Masonic Temple Thursday evening at 7:30. Following the ex-emplification of the Second Degree, refreshments will be served and a social hour enjoyed.

Legion Post No. 12 will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at Legion headquarters in the Hotel Dixon.

DeMolays will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening in Brimmon Memorial Masonic temple. Bradley Moll past master councillor and a graduate of the University of Illinois, will address the chapter on "Patriotism."

Sea Scout News

Sea Scouts of ship No 567 will meet at 7 o'clock Thursday evening. Everyone is asked to be in full uniform. A flag will be presented by G. A. R. Circle.

According to English statistics, about one person in every three in Newfoundland is receiving relief.

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

38 YEARS AGO
Articles of incorporation have been issued to the Millar-Gantz Co. of 401 First street for the manufacture of gas plants. A group of 210 couples enjoyed the Marquette club's annual May Party last evening at the L. O. Rosbrook hall.

25 YEARS AGO
Willard Beach and Mrs. Ray Schrock and son were victims of a serious automobile accident east of Dixon Friday afternoon.

The 70th Standard school in Lee county, District 50 in East Grove township, Miss Rhea Evans, teacher, has been established. At the Lee county high school track meet at Amboy yesterday afternoon, Amboy won with 88 points, Paw Paw being second with 66; North Dixon, third with 6 and Compton fourth with 2 points.

10 YEARS AGO
E. D. Alexander has been elected president of the Illinois Northern Utilities Co., succeeding Martin J. Insull, resigned, and George B. Fluhr of Freeport, succeeds as vice president. The Daniel Guggenheim fund has issued a certificate to Dixon, signed by Col. Charles Lindbergh, for making the name of the city visible to fliers.

Happy Birthday

MAY 1

C. F. Buske.

MAY 2

Harry Hintz; Robert Seales; Robert Hintz, route 3; Charles Larkin, Walnut; Jack Greyer, West Brookline.

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SERIAL STORY

BET ON LOVE

BY CHARLES B. PARMER

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YESTERDAY Sherry is surprised when she learns that Pepper Boy, another owner has filed a claim so the owners will throw dice for the colt. Uncle Willie consoles Sherry, saying: "This isn't finished yet. We've got a say."

CHAPTER VI

SHERRY shook her head, as she patted Uncle Willie's arm. "Just wait. This isn't over yet," he whispered reassuringly. But Sherry knew he was just trying to ease her mental suffering.

She heard the dice rattling in the leather cup as Jamison shook them for his throw. Paul Wharton was watching the other owner closely. Sherry saw determination in Wharton's eyes, in the firm set of his jaw. Paul was out to win—he had to win—her horse!

Jamison's hand came down and two red dice rolled out on the counter—a deuce and a five.

"Seven," the secretary announced, taking up the dice, passing the cup to Wharton.

Paul shook the dice quickly, rolled them down the counter. Every eye was fixed upon the bouncing cubes. Sherry held her breath as they came to a stop at last. A four and a six.

"Mr. Wharton gets the colt!"

"Not so fast, my learned friend," Willie Bond was saying to the secretary. "Not so fast, I demand to see the claiming slip Mr. Wharton deposited."

"Show it to him," Wharton spoke with aloofness, looking out a window. "My name is signed to it, I believe."

"Yes, sir, your name is," Willie Bond conceded, "and also I see the time-stamp; you dropped this in the box at 2:17."

"Well, what of it?"

"Plenty, young sir!" Willie Bond spoke sharply. "Jockey Club rules say the claim must be deposited in the box at least 15 minutes before post time. Post time was advertised as 2:30. You were two minutes late—look at the time stamped on it."

PAUL WHARTON did look; then swore to himself. "That darn trainer," he said aloud. "Look here," he demanded of the secretary, "are we going by technicalities on this race track?"

Willie Bond didn't give the official time to speak. He turned on Wharton: "Do we race by Jockey Club rules—or is it every man for himself? If you don't recognize the Jockey Club, maybe the stewards would like to know it."

"Aw, thunder!"

"Thunder yourself—your claim's thrown out. Right, Mr. Secretary?"

The latter nodded, said: "Correct. Horse goes to the next man."

"My winnin' day," the unshaven trainer grinned. "Gimme the order for that colt."

"Not so fast, my good man," Willie Bond protested. "The colt isn't yours—yet."

"Ain't, eh? Didn't the secretary just say it is—we go by rules on this track." He smirked his lips.

"And here's \$2500 cash-money for that colt." He laid a pile of bills on the counter.

"No doubt excellent currency—but may I ask, Mr. Secretary?" Willie Bond spoke in his suave tones, "whether this ah—fellow has \$2500 to his credit with the Racing Association? Has he, Mr. Secretary?"

The latter was distinctly annoyed. He glared over his glasses at the big man in front of him. "Racing season's just begun—"

"Correct," Willie Bond conceded, "and we've agreed that Jockey Club rules govern here. The rules distinctly say—I waved a fat finger under the secretary's long nose—and see if my memory is correct, each person desiring to make a claim, unless he shall have such amount to his credit with the association, must first deposit with the association the whole amount of his claim in cash."

"This—ah—fellow hasn't that much credit on your books; and I take it the ah—fellow didn't deposit \$2500 with you, sir, before the race; else he wouldn't tender the currency now."

"One minute, Mr. Bond," the official smiled, tried to speak plangitously. "Generally there's a bit of latitude—when intentions are known to be good. Usually we'll take a man's money after the race."

"Say! If you're going to make that kind of exception," Paul Wharton exploded, "then you've got to accept my claim. What's two minutes, when my intentions are good?"

William Bond stepped back, looked straight at the harassed official: "Suppose we take this to the stewards, ask them whether or not Jockey Club rules govern—"

"Please, please!" the secretary had no desire to admit to the stewards that he could not rule his own ballwick. He smiled unctuously, rubbed his hands together, finished, "I should say—in fact I do say, that—ah—ladies, gentlemen, all claims are disallowed; the colt remains the property of Miss Bond. And better racing luck next time, Miss Bond."

SHERRY BOND was weaving her way through the race track crowds when she stopped, annoyed, as someone grasped her

elbow. She shook free the hand, glanced over her shoulder. It was Paul Wharton—an eager look in his eyes.

"Sherry!"

"Well?"

The steel in her manner made him pause. She spoke again, sharply:

"You tried to claim my horse."

"Sherry, you've got to listen—"

Again she shook his hand free. Turned, saying, "You'll excuse me." She started toward the clubhouse.

Paul was beside her—was keeping pace with her going up the steps—was talking—she was not hearing a word he said—she went into the first vacant box. "Will you please go away?" she asked.

"Sherry, I was trying to protect your horse. Remember, twice I urged you not to start Pepper Boy in a claiming race? You wouldn't listen. So when I learned another man was going to claim him, I had my trainer put in a claim."

Sherry was silent; she stared at him.

"Racing's a man's game, Sherry—"

"One-third of the race horses in America are owned by women—"

"And raced by men trainers! There are only a fistful of girl trainers in the country. This business requires experience, and you simply haven't any, Sherry."

"But fortunately my uncle has!" Paul Wharton shrugged. "Don't you understand, Sherry? I was trying to save your colt; I was going to give him back to you—as one friend to another."

So Paul had been trying to save her colt, not take Pepper Boy away from her. Sherry's smile returned slowly.

"Thanks, Paul," she said, extending her hand. "I didn't understand."

"I know, darling. He did not release her hand. "Sherry, won't you give up this racing business, marry me, now." He was almost pleading. "You've had a try at it, and you came through only by sheer luck."

"You know I love you Sherry. We can be married here, have our honeymoon at the Derby, watching Red Soldier win."

"Watching Pepper Boy win," Sherry corrected. The hatred had gone from her voice. If she married Paul now all her worries would be over. No more fretting about bills, no more risking Pepper Boy in claiming races. She could keep on racing Pepper Boy, not against Paul, but with him.

"Paul," she said, "I—I—"

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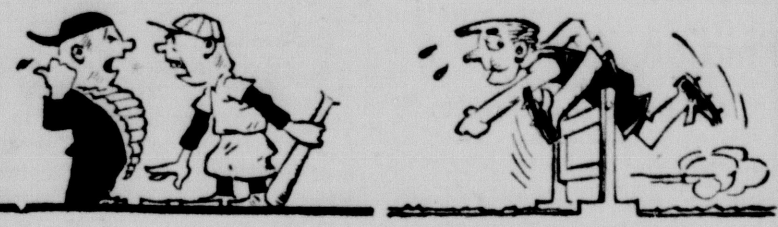


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FANFARE



By DON DANIELSON.

MANAGERS TO DINE

O. E. Rowley, general manager of the Dixon Softball association, announced today that the managers of all teams will meet and break bread together at a banquet to be held Thursday night starting at 7 o'clock at the Hotel Dixon. The purpose of the event is to create a spirit of unity among the league pilots before the season is launched on May 20.

FOR THE DUKES' MAY BASKET

If the farmers want rain or the sking folk want snow, all they should do is to request that the Dixon high school schedule a home track meet. Since the season began the weatherman has taken the dates of the local meets to spring his damp days. This morning the triangular meet which the Dukes have with Mt. Morris and Rochelle was still on tap, but if the snow continues beyond noon—no telling what might happen.

WHAT ABOUT THAT HARBALL TEAM?

What are you doing to promote a harball team for the boys between the ages of 17 and 21? The Telegraph has already furnished the nest egg for a 4-team league and anyone interested in sponsoring a club is asked to call the sports department for further details. Many of the boys are reported to be enthusiastic about the idea and need only your support (at a minimum cost) to get the league into action for a twilight series.

THIRD PITCHING ASSIGNMENT

Nelson Potter of Mt. Morris gets his third pitching assignment of the season today when he hurls for the Philadelphia club of the American League against Cleveland. Allen will be the opposing mounder. Potter was marked for two defeats in his first games.

OREGON GOLFERS WIN

Oregon high school golfers won their second match of the season yesterday when they defeated Rochelle on the Oregon course, 22 to 0. Oregon won six 18-hole matches and two nine-hole events. The results were: J. Franklin (O) 82; Degryse (R) 91; Engstrom (O) 90; V. Stevenson (R) 105; J. Kozuch (O) 84; W. Beck R 98; A. Berger (O) 92; P. May (R) 107; V. Zummagen (O) 95; R. Motlong (R) 117; S. Kozuch (O) 95; W. Askvig (R) 134; C. Lamb (O) 50; C. Masters (R) 56; J. Putnam (O) 50; R. Brain (R) 56.

ONLY MAJOR THREE-LETTER CANDIDATE

Leland (Butch) Shoaf is the only major three-letter candidate at Dixon high school this season. If Butch, a member of the current track team, wins a total of ten points before the season ends he will be the only possessor of three major letters. He has already won his awards in football and basketball and is the only one of the two teams out for track. Only minor awards are given for tennis and golf which eliminate several who might have crashed the three-way honor bracket.

PLAN TICKET SALES

In an effort to promote the ticket sales for the Dixon high school football games next fall—which are to be played under the lights—a committee headed by Paul Potts will meet next Monday night to outline the campaign. Other members of the committee are L. O. Snader and Earl Nolan.

MAY JOIN SOFTBALL LEAGUE

The Company A and the Dixon Army may send a team into the field when the softball league gets going later this month. Charles White has been making inquiries and is hoping to manage a club.

COON DOG FIELD TRIAL

The Bureau County Coon and Fox Hunters association is sponsoring a field trial two miles southwest of Princeton on Sunday, May 12 starting at 11 o'clock in the morning. Special events and prizes are planned.

SPARKY'S TEAM WINS

Sparky's softball team played a 7-inning practice game with the State Hospital club at the colony grounds last night and won, 12 to 8. Constantine and Reed composed the battery for the winners and Hahn and Riva were the losing pitcher and catcher. A return game has been scheduled for tomorrow night.

DIXON BRIDGE TEAMS WIN

They bid for it and made it. The Dixon contract bridge club went to Sterling last night and trimmed the hosts by 3,180 points. Those playing on the winning team were Clyde Buckingham, John Roe, Hal Mater, Don Raymond, John Kennedy, Fred Huebner, Paul Charters and William Jenkins. For Sterling the players were A. J. Scheinman, K. Holshuh, "Lefty" Hill, R. C. Levine, Maurice Wingate, Jack Wingate, Dean Bickford and James Galloway. It is reported that the match was much closer than the score indicates. The local team will play at Princeton in a return match on Friday night after trimming the Bureau county players here earlier in the season.

GATEWAY CLASSIC

Franklin Grove is the first school to file a formal entry for the 24th annual Gateway Classic to be held at Coon Field in Clinton, Ia., on Saturday. Coach Ted Scheid of Sterling will also take a team to the meet.

BOWLING MATCH TONIGHT

The Rockford News team will meet the Hi-Way Grill team here in a bowling match at the Dixon Recreation tonight. Those in the lineup for the news club are Hanson, Wolfe, Shawyer, H. McCordie and Dwyer. For the Hi-Way Grill club—J. Smith, Klein, Worley, Poole and Daschbach. On May 5 the Rockford News team will bowl in the tournament at Elgin and on May 19 the Hi-Way Grill quintet will roll in the same event.

TEX CARLETON'S NO-HIT TILT GIVES DODGERS NINTH WIN

By JUDSON BAILEY

Associated Press Sports Writer

There's just no use being skeptical any longer. Destiny's Dodgers are as hot they're setting the National League on fire and the glare is so bright that the other clubs are blotted out of the picture.

Nine straight victories, climaxed by a no-hit pitching performance from a 33-year-old Texas cowboy who almost decided to quit baseball last winter and stay home on the range, show that Brooklyn is taking baseball seriously and will have to be taken seriously.

Winning streaks aren't always lucky. The only other club to win nine in a row at the start of the season in the last 50-odd years—the New York Giants of 1918—finished second.

Winning streaks sometimes are put together with luck and the Dodgers weren't. They simply have overwhelmed every foe they have met. Tex Carleton's no-hit masterpiece against Cincinnati yesterday pointed up the fact that Brooklyn pitchers have allowed only 63 hits and 14 runs in nine games.

Coscarart's Homer

The homer that Pete Coscarart hit with two on in the fifth to score all the runs of yesterday's game kept intact the Dodgers' average of a home run for every game since the start of the season.

The St. Louis Cardinals were

rained out against the Giants yesterday, but the Pittsburgh Pirates were beaten for the fourth straight time, 6-2, by the Phillies, who piled up 11 luster hits, and the Chicago Cubs had an 8-7 squeeze to win in 10 innings from the Bees. Al Todd hit a homer in the extra installment for the victory.

Until the returns from Cincinnati were posted yesterday, the plaudits of the baseball world were all going to a 25-year-old southpaw of the St. Louis Browns, Emil Bidilli, who stopped the World Champion New York Yankees, 2-1, on two hits in his first start in the majors. The rookie from San Antonio gave up a run on a triple and a single in the first inning and then proceeded to hold the famous sluggers hitless the rest of the way.

Seventh In 10 Games

It was the seventh time in 10 games a lefthander had started on the mound against the Yanks and the fourth time they had fallen. They have been beaten twice by righthanders.

The Cleveland Indians climbed back into exclusive possession of the lead in the American League with a 10-5 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics on Willis Hudlin's 12-hit pitching and two homers each by Hal Trosky and Ken Keltner.

The Boston Red Sox, who had shared the top spot for a day, were 9-1 victims of the Chicago White Sox. Chicago made 12

Amboy Defeats Polo at Track

Dukes Win First Tennis, Golf Matches

AMBOY TRACKMEN WIN IN MEET AT POLO YESTERDAY

Glessner of the Winners Counts Total of 15 Points as Leader

Amboy Township high school's track men, with seven undisputed first places in 12 events won the dual meet at Polo yesterday afternoon by a score of 75 to 42.

Polo counted firsts in four events and tied with the visitors in another. High point man of the meet was Glessner of Amboy who counted firsts in the broad jump, 220-yard run and 100-yard dash for a total of 15 tallies.

Others who scored 5 points or more were Albright (A) 5; Salzman (A) 10; Read (A) 6; Deiter (A) 5; Terry (P) 8; Smith (P) 8; Waters (P) 7; Schneider (A) 6.

Polo Scores Slam

Polo scored a slam in the discus with Smith of Polo winning with a distance of 94 feet 3 inches and Waters and Engle second and third, respectively.

The pole vault and high jump events ended in three-way ties.

Outstanding in the times of the events was that clocked for the 220-yard run which Glessner of Amboy captured in 23.5 seconds. Glessner also counted a good mark of 18 feet 11 1/2 inches in the broad jump.

Polo was handicapped by the loss of Adams who is ill and Duisling who is unable to compete this year because of an infected leg. Both are outstanding sprint men.

SUMMARIES

110-yard high hurdles—Won by Albright (A), Welty (A) second, Stauffer (P) third. Time—1:16.8.

100-yard dash—Won by Salzman (A), Boyle (A) second, Howard (P) third. Time—5:08.

100-yard dash—Won by Glessner (A), Read (A) second, Stauffer (P) third. Time—1:11.3.

440-yard run—Won by Dieter (A), Levan (A) second, Twigg (P) third. Time—5:54.

Freshman quarter mile relay—Won by Polo (Holby, Horton, Ames and Cruikshank). Amboy second. Time—5:56.

220-yard run—Won by Glessner (A), Read (A) second, Palmer (P) third. Time—2:35.

Half mile—Won by Salzman (A), Wilson (P) second, Boyle (A) third. Time—2:19.8.

Shot put—Won by Terry (P), Smith (P) second, Garland (A) third. Distance—33 feet 4 inches.

Pole vault—Belows (P), Price (A) and Jones (A) all tied for first. Height—9 feet.

High jump—Waters (P), Terry (P) and Schneider (A) all tied for first. Height—5 feet 3 inches.

Discus—Won by Smith (P), Waters (P) second, Engle (P) third. Distance—94 feet 3 inches.

Broad jump—Won by Glessner (A), Schneider (A) second, Waters (P) third. Distance—18 feet 11 1/2 inches.

220-yard dash—won by Ridge

120-yard high hurdles—won by Brown (S); J. Woodyatt (S) second; Boehm (P); third; Monies (P) fourth. Time—1:16.2 seconds.

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Carleton Hurls No Hit Game



James "Tex" Carleton (right), 33 year old right hander rescued from minors by Brooklyn Dodgers, with Catcher Herman Franks after pitching 3 to 0, no-hit victory over Cincinnati Reds.

STERLING WINS NIGHT MEET WITH KEWANEE, PRINCETON

Sterling Township high school, which last year opened a newly lighted football stadium, last night turned the athletic field into a sports arena for the first nocturnal track meet which the hosts won over Kewanee and Princeton.

Coach Ted Scheid's boys scored nine firsts of the 13 events and finished with a total of 83 points, leaving Kewanee second with 37 1/2 and Princeton third with 20 1/2.

Special attention was drawn to the marks in the discus when Krambuski of Princeton threw the platter 132 feet 9 inches. The 100-yard dash was clocked in 1:04 seconds with Fenner of Sterling stepping off the distance to win.

Leaps 20 Feet

Costenson of Kewanee won the broad jump with a leap of 20 feet and Brown of Sterling raced over the low sticks in 16.2 seconds.

Sterling's nine first places were scored in the 120-yard high hurdles, 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, mile run, 880-yard run, 200-yard low hurdles, 880-yard relay, high jump and the shot put. Princeton scored firsts in the 440-yard dash with Berlin winning in 53.5 seconds and the discus. Kewanee counted firsts in the broad jump and Tunlicift soared 10 feet 9 1/2 inches to win the pole vault.

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Carleton, Once in Discard, Climbs to No-Hit Fame

By JOHN FRYE

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 1—(AP)—

Tex Carleton, discarded by the

minors only months ago as an ap-

parent "washout", looked at the

world today from the heights of

no-hit baseball fame.

The tall, curly-haired 33-year-

old refugee from the American

Association pitched the undefeated

Brooklyn Dodgers to a 3 to 0

triumph over Cincinnati yesterday

before 10,544 fans who were with

him almost to a man.

If any there who were cried

"They can't do that to our Reds,"

they didn't have much chance to

be heard.

The 10,544 cheered Milkman Jim

Turner, late of the Boston Bees,

who in eight innings allowed but

four hits. But soon after Pete

Coscarart lofted one over the left-

field wall in the fifth for a three-

run homer, fans suspected they

might see the realization of a

pitcher's dream. They applauded

the Reds—but yelled and cheered

the Texan's every move.

Poetic Justice

Aside from tying a modern ma-

jor league record in giving his

team its ninth straight game at

the start of the season, there was

poetic justice in Carleton's per-

formance.

Walking two and striking out

four, he gave the Reds a dose of

the medicine they administered to

the Dodgers June 15, 1938, when

Johnny Vander Meer pitched the

second of his twin no-hit, no-run

games. That, incidentally, was the

last previous no-hit hurled by a

National Leaguer.

Carleton, formerly with the St.

Louis Cardinals and the Chicago

Cubs but sold down river to Mil-

waukee and unconditionally re-

leased last year, conceded "it

makes me feel great," but said he

"didn't realize until the eighth

that I might have a no-hitter."

"From then on," he grinned, "I

counted every pitch."

WOMEN BOWELERS BEGIN 23rd

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Markets at a Glance
(By The Associated Press)
New York—Stocks heavy; steels, aircrafts lead decline.
Bonds mixed; foreign loans in new drop.
Foreign exchange lower; sterling continues down.
Cotton narrow; Bombay and hedge selling.
Sugar uneven; trade and speculative interests play both sides.
Metals quiet; export copper trimmed a shade.
Wool tops lower; May liquidation; Bombay selling.
Chicago—Wheat lower; stop loss selling. Corn lower. Cattle steady. Hogs mostly steady; top 6.25.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.07 1/2	1.08	1.04 1/2	1.04 1/2
July	1.06 1/2	1.06 1/2	1.04 1/2	1.04 1/2
Sept.	1.06 1/2	1.07	1.04 1/2	1.04 1/2

CORN—May 64 1/2 65 63 1/2 64 1/2
July 64 1/2 65 63 1/2 64 1/2
Sept. 65 1/2 66 64 1/2 65

OATS—May 40 1/2 40 1/2 40 1/2 40 1/2
July 37 1/2 37 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2
Sept. 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2

SOY BEANS—May 1.09 1/2 1.09 1/2 1.07 1/2 1.08 1/2
July 1.06 1/2 1.06 1/2 1.06 1/2 1.06 1/2
Oct. 93 1/2 93 1/2 93 1/2 93 1/2

RYE—May 67 1/2 67 1/2 65 1/2 65 1/2
July 69 1/2 69 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2
Sept. 70 1/2 71 1/2 69 1/2 69 1/2

LARD—May 6.10 6.15 6.10 6.12

BELLIES—May 5.70 5.70 5.62 5.62

172%; Am Tot B 89%; Am Wat
Wks 9%; Am Zinc L S 7; Ar
aconda 28%; Arm III 6%; Atch
T S S 21%; Alf Refining 24%;
Atlas Corp 8; Aviation Corp 7%;
Bald Loco Ct 16%; Balt & Chic
4%; Barnsald Oil III; Beatrice

Chicago Livestock
(By The Associated Press)
Salable May 1—(AP)—Salable hogs 11,000; total 14,500; opened slow, closed fairly active; generally steady with Tuesday's average; top 6.25; bulk good and choice 180-270 lbs 6.00-6.20; medium 270-350 lbs 5.75-6.00; good 400-550 lbs packing 5.40-5.55; 550 lbs packing 5.40-5.55; lighter butchers kinds up to 5.50.

Salable cattle 8,500; salable calves 1,000; market being conducted in rain and snow storm; early steer run well-finished mediumweight and weighty steers in liberal supply; early trade steady on all grades and representative weights; bulk selling at 8.75-11.00; not many new lots to good light steers or yearlings here; feeder dealers operating at 9.50 down; selling choice yearlings up to 10.50 to country; besides sizable supply common and medium stock steers at 7.50-9.00; best fed steers early 12.00; numerous loads 10.75-11.75; bulk of these carrying considerable weight; prime weighty steers held above 13.00; choice 1.066 lbs Nebraska heifers several loads; early heifers 9.50-10.50; heifers supply moderate; cows steady at 3.00 down on cutters and 4.50 down on light canners; most beef cows 6.50-7.25; weighty sausage bulls up to 7.25; active, vendors also active at 10.50-11.50; feed 12.00.

Salable sheep 2,000; total 6,500; late Tuesday; fat lambs mostly strong; spots 10-15; higher; one lot to good light wooled, active; late 10.75; bulk good and choice kinds 10.50-11.00; with few medium to good kinds at 10.00-25; best clipper 9.50; bulk 9.00-25; today's trade; fat lambs slow; a few early kids; clipper 9.50; clipper around steady; bidding lower on in-between kinds; holding best clipper at 9.50 and above; medium to good wooled kinds held at 10.00-25; fat sheep scarce steady.

Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: cattle 5,000; hogs 11,000; sheep 6,000.

Chicago Produce
(By The Associated Press)
Chicago May 1—(AP)—Potatoes, 69, on track 219, total U S shipments 641; old stock, Idaho russets slightly stronger, northern all varieties best, slightly stronger supplies rather light, demand good; sacked per cwt Idaho russet burbanks U S No. 1, 2.15-2.25; Minnesota Hollandale section cobbles U S No. 1, 1.25-1.35; Minnesota and North Dakota Red river valley section cobbles 60 to 64 per cent U S No. 1, 1.15-1.50; good quality 1.50-1.60; katasdins U S No. 1, 1.65; new stock Texas triumphs U S No. 1, California long whites steady, supplies moderate, demand light; 50 lbs sacks Texas triumphs U S No. 1, washed, few sales 1.45-1.50; some holding for higher prices; U S No. 1, unwashed 1.25, size E, washed 1.25; unwashed 1.05; California long whites U S No. 1, under initial ice 100 lbs sacks 2.45; 50 lbs sacks showing decay 95 a sack.

Poultry live, 25 trucks, steady to firm; leghorn hens 15; white rock broilers 23; springs 4 lbs up to 23; plymouth rock 26; white rock 27; under 4 lbs plymouth rock 22 1/2; white rock 23 1/2; other prices unchanged.

Eggs, receipts 47,973, storage; banked extras 18 1/2; firsts 18; firsts 18; checks 14; other prices unchanged.

Egg futures, no sales today.

Egg futures, refried, sides 0.915; storage packed firsts May 8.05.

Potato futures, no sales today.

U. S. Bonds Close
(By The Associated Press)
Treas 3s 55-51 111.7
Treas 2s 50-56 107.12
Fed Farm Mtg 3s 49-44 105.3
HOLC 3s 52-44 107.25.

Representative Sales
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No.	Av. Wt.	Av. Price
47	Heavy	255 6.15
55	Medium	341 5.80
50	Light	213 6.25
71	Light	235 6.10
45	Light	197 6.25
57	Light	170 5.85
28	Light	151 5.75
14	Light	142 5.50
215	Fed Wooler Lambs	95 10.25
324	Clipped Lambs	90 10.40
141	Fed Steers	85 9.50
115	Fed Steers	86 9.00
17	Fed Steers	1500 13.10
20	Fed Steers	1240 12.65
22	Fed Steers	1104 12.00
24	Heifers	1066 10.75
31	Heifers	617 9.50

Capture of Hitler
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entered Holland and travelled to Kaiser Wilhelm's "haven."
Disposition Unrevealed
According to legend surrounding the adventure, which the participants were reluctant to discuss in later years, the party actually entered Wilhelm's home, but fled when surprised by Dutch guards.
Complaints were made with the state department and Lea and his comrades were placed under military arrest. Disposition of the case never was revealed, but all were released.
Church said his group was not over-optimistic about its chances of achieving its end, but it thought the possibility was worth encouraging. He added that he had no objection to making the offer in his official capacity as president of the Carnegie Institute since Andrew Carnegie founded a peace organization and believed in "the association of nations with power to enforce peace."

Hatch Bill Is Killed
By House Committee
Washington, May 1—(AP)—The house judiciary committee killed today the senate-approved Hatch bill to regulate political activities of state employees paid with federal funds.
The committee ordered the bill "tabled," meaning that it will be stuffed away in a pigeonhole.
The vote was not announced and Chairman Summers (D-Tex) refused to discuss the matter beyond making the bare announcement of disposal of the measure.
In addition to restricting the political activities of state employees paid in whole or in part with federal funds, the measure also would have limited personal campaign contributions to \$5,000.
British Columbia is about twice as large in area as France.

Allies' Position—

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come definitely alarming" in the past two days.
Although the British spokesman made no attempt to dispute the German announcement that nazi forces in Oslo (F9) and Trondheim (N8) have made contact, he questioned its importance.
"We must remember that what with demolitions and bombing, German communications will not be easy," he declared, adding that the contact "does not mean there is a constant flow of men and materials."

He said the British had no confirmation that the Germans had taken Dombas (L7) and Storen (N9), vital railroad junctions in central Norway.
British Outlook Dark
But he admitted that German reports of having occupied those centers may be true and that the British outlook in the Dombas area is dark.
Germany, meanwhile, rained new aerial blows on Britain's sea forces.

The German high command, reporting continued progress in Norway, said its fighters had sunk a British cruiser, a destroyer and five transports and had heavily damaged another cruiser and five other transports.
The British, without commenting directly on this report, merely said "desultory bombing" was continuing in the Namsos (R9) and Steinkjer (O10) areas on the Norwegian Atlantic coast north of Trondheim.

The German communiqué merely mentioned that "at Trondheim fighting still went on yesterday" and this was regarded in Berlin as evidence that allied resistance still was formidable in some areas in the path of the German advance.
Both in Berlin and London, there were indications that the allies had a firm foothold in the Steinkjer sector, north of Trondheim.

9 British Planes Lost
The German command said the British had lost nine warplanes—eight in an attack on Stavanger (D2) and one in a raid on Fomebu airport, near Oslo.

In London, the air ministry acknowledged the loss of seven planes, but said "heavy damage" had been inflicted in forays last night at Stavanger and Fomebu and at Aalborg, Danish terminal of Germany's aerial troop ferry system.
The Germans also reported the capture of considerable war material and more than 4,900 prisoners. It said 400 Britons and 200 of officers and 3,500 men of the Norwegian second division were seized at Lillehammer (T8). Near Lom (K6) it said 1,200 other enemy troops surrendered.
Swedish reports in Stockholm said that Norwegian troops still were occupying positions north of the railway junction of Storen, 30 miles south of Trondheim, and from German-held Oslo itself came a dispatch stating the fate of Norwegian and allied troops in the Storen region was unknown.

Although the Oslo dispatch was based on the assumption that the German claim of having established a contact was valid, there nevertheless remained the possibility that the Norwegian-allied forces might be in a position to keep the Germans apart somewhere north of Storen.
Fresh Allied Landings
London announced that "fresh landings have taken place on the coast of Norway."

Ben Hur and Joe Blow In Pre-May Day Fete

Police were called to the Illinois Central yards near Seventh street twice last evening to carry two transients to the city bastle, following a reported pre-May day celebration staged in the jungles south of the city limits. About 5:30, Lester Lee, alias Ben Hur, was hauled to the station, when police gathered him up along the tracks near the Seventh street crossing.

About 7:30 police were called a second time and carried N. Halden, alias Joe Blow, away from the main line track, where the transient shoe string peddler had selected a rail for a pillow. Ray morn and whiskey found in his possession, together with his stock of shoe strings, formed his worldly belongings. This morning Police Magistrate James E. Bales suspended fines of \$100 and costs in both cases, and the transients were given a police escort who led them to the city limits and directed them to other climes.

BOLT KILLS LABORER
Rantoul, Ill., May 1—(AP)—J. Russell Sell, Chicago, was killed by lightning late yesterday as he walked across the air field at Chanute field where he had been working during an electrical storm.
Sell had been employed as a tile setter. Another man was knocked down by the bolt, but was reported not seriously injured.
Sell's widow and two children survive.

Intensive working of the Transvaal gold-fields in 1939 boosted production to 12,819,344 fine ounces, an all-time record.

Death of Chicago Ward at Hospital Is Called Suicide

Miss Cordelia Schmidt, 23, of Chicago, feeble minded epileptic patient at the Dixon state hospital, early yesterday swallowed a large quantity of capsules and tablets of a powerful sedative drug, an autopsy performed by staff physicians of the institution disclosed. Dr. Kenyon B. Segner, coroner, empaneled a jury yesterday afternoon and conducted an inquest over the body.

Grace Meneditz, 1613 First street, this city, attendant on the cottage in which Miss Schmidt was an inmate, testified that at about 6:30 Tuesday morning she heard the crash of glass in the dispensary and upon immediate investigation observed Miss Schmidt had broken the heavy plate glass of the medicine cabinet and was clutching a box in one hand as she left the room. The attendant told the jury that she had attempted to remove the box from the patient's grasp but the girl broke loose and ran down a hallway, then slumped to the floor. She was placed on her bed and a physician summoned but the effect of the two powerful sedative drugs caused her death in about 40 minutes.

Verdict of Suicide
Dr. R. J. Gaff, assistant managing officer estimated that the girl had swallowed probably 28 three grain capsules and about 20 tablets of two different types of powerful sedatives, which are prescribed for epileptic patients. The amount of each drug was estimated at more than triple the average dose given to patients. Dr. A. H. Argent, staff physician who performed the autopsy, exhibited parts of several of the tablets which were only partially digested and which were removed from the stomach.

The jury's verdict attributed the death to suicide by swallowing several capsules and tablets of powerful sedative drugs. The body was to be taken to Chicago for the funeral and interment. The young woman was committed to the Dixon state hospital from the Municipal court of Chicago on Jan. 30, 1935.

66 New—

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Chamber of Commerce. This group represents a large and diversified line of businesses and one of the most important groups catering to both the farmer's and local trade. It is desired that this group co-operate in bringing about a better feeling in creating a better business in making Dixon a better place for all of us to live in and continue in business.

"We want all of you, both members and non-members to use the Chamber of Commerce as a guide and council in the betterment of business conditions for all concerned. This office will display an eagerness of co-operation in instances of distress and also do everything within the powers of our committees to bring new business to our city by trying to interest new industries to locate within our borders."

"We have other committees who are trying to build a good will among our farmers and the surrounding communities by enticing the general public to come here to Dixon and trade, by giving them several celebrations during the year. These are significant points in building up a community and can only be done by the co-operation of all groups of businessmen who are willing to sacrifice their time and money to bring about a successful trading center, in order that they may prosper from the activities that one businessman displays with another. Without this co-operation your Chamber of Commerce cannot hope to succeed."

All Must Aid
"In the light of these developments it is the height of business wisdom that every measure of caution be taken that nothing is overlooked in our activities. Our only method of going about to bring a success to our activities is that we must all be liberal givers of our time and money, otherwise our plan will fail."

"To the present I must say that the members have co-operated on the membership, industrial and Fourth of July committees, have been very generous of their time in bringing about success in their activities, and this display of co-operation is appreciated. I will continue to display my influence and gratitude by not waiting for them to come half way, but will display my eagerness to go forward by befriending and boosting them as real fellows who are eager that Dixon shall go forward. I hope that I can give the same kind expressions to the chairman and his committee who compose the men of this group."

Uruguayan industrialists have formed a cotton-growing company and will erect a \$1,150,000 yarn factory.

Too Late to Classify.
Public Auction Next to Theatre 1:30 P. M.—POLO, ILL. SATURDAY—MAY 4TH.
Booths: Back Bar; Cash Register; Electric Wall Fan; Other articles, too numerous to mention.

State G. O. P.—

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opposition and S. L. Nudelmann, Governor Horner's state director of finance, issued a statement saying he was in "hearty favor" of the inquiry.

Seek to Reduce Costs
The stated purpose of the investigation is to determine methods of reducing government costs so as to avoid new or increased taxes for old age pensions. The special session is preparing to raise the maximum old age assistance level from \$30 to \$40 monthly, a change that is estimated to cost the state an additional \$4,000,000 to \$6,000,000 annually.

Searle called his committee, composed of four Republican and three Democratic representatives, together today to outline a program and possibly to decide what state officials and records are to be subpoenaed.

Full subpoena powers and unlimited authority to examine state records was given the Searle committee under the resolution by Rep. R. J. Branson, Centennial, GOP floor leader. The resolution directed the committee to:

"Investigate the entire condition of state finances, the sources of state revenues, expenditures therefrom, the use of diversion of state funds or the monies derived therefrom, or practices followed in connection with the expenditures of state funds, and to report findings, conclusions and recommendations to this House as soon as practicable."

To Question Nudelmann
In a statement, Searle accused Director Nudelmann of issuing "conflicting statements" concerning the status of the state treasury and indicated the finance director would be one of the first to be questioned.

Nudelmann last week reported the state treasury balance had, since last May, dropped from a peak of almost \$20,000,000 to less than \$4,500,000. He said state department heads were being called upon to make retrenchments.
The Searle committee, appointed last night by House Speaker Hugh W. Cross, was in its Republican membership practically the same as a similar investigating group headed by the Rock Island legislator in the 1939 regular session.

That committee was killed by the House after it had been in existence a month. The committee in a report charged the Horner administration had "exercised every power" to end its probe.

One charge made by the 1939 Searle committee was that approximately \$2,000,000 had been expended on "padded payrolls" in the 1936 campaign in which Governor Horner was reelected for his second term.

Besides Searle, members of the investigating committee appointed by Cross are Reps. Frederick W. Renick, Buda; S. O. Dale, Fairfield, and David I. Swanson, Chicago, Republicans; Schaefer, O'Neill, Alton; Edward Skarda, Chicago, and W. O. Edwards, Danville, Democrats.

The committee elected O'Neill secretary in its organization meeting last night. The Alton legislator was active in the recent primary campaign of Lieut. Governor John Stelle for governor, as was Representative Skarda.

Trip of Italian Boat Indicates War Policy

Naples, Italy, May 1—(AP)—The Italian Line's flagship, the Rex, continued her journey to New York today from this port and foreign observers believed this was a sign that Italy does not intend to drop her non-belligerent policy within the next two weeks, at least. She left Genoa yesterday.

They said it was unlikely that Italy would send her finest ship out of the Mediterranean if there were a likelihood the sea would be closed to her.

Automobile batteries nowadays have nearly 30 uses as compared to the 14 uses 10 years ago.

Marco Polo wrote the account of his travels to Cathay while in prison at Genoa, Italy.

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In Need in Lee, Ogle and Carroll Counties
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Society News

JUNIOR SCOUTS ARE HOSTESSES

Mrs. L. C. Olmstead's troop of Junior Girl Scouts were party hostesses on Saturday evening, entertaining at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. McNichols on East Fellows street. Table tennis, games and dancing were diversion, with a lunch of barbecue sandwiches as the concluding pleasure.

Troop members attending included Mary Marth, Nan Richards, Janet Countryman, Lila Lee Kirk, Jean Moore, Mary Louise Poole and Carol Heckman, and their guests were Robert Sanborn, Warren Walder, Marshall Bunnell, Bill Witzleb, Bill McNichols, Arnold Spangler, and Jack Fergar. Mrs. Olmstead, Mr. and Mrs. Oakford, and Dr. and Mrs. McNichols also shared the evening's fun.

SCHOOL PROGRAM

Sixth grade students of the Burket school surprised their schoolmates and teacher, Miss Goldie Gigous, recently when they presented a special program in the form of a radio broadcast. The sixth graders, including Donna Clymer, Douglas Pitzer, and Darlene Burket were assisted by Earl Burket and Joanne Pitzer.

Earl Burket acted as announcer for the following entertainment: Poem, "I Got to go to School," Douglas Pitzer; poem, "Hello," Darlene Burket; song, "The Crow," Joanne Pitzer, accompanied by Darlene Burket; poem, "When the Lights Go Out," Donna Clymer; piano solo, "Down a Woodland Path," Darlene Burket; recitation, "April, April, Are You Here," Joanne Pitzer; poem, "Down on the Farm," Earl Burket; piano solo, "The Fiddlewink Waltz," Donna Clymer.

"A BIG PARTY"

Indianapolis, May 1—(AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mitchell of St. Louis were registering at a hotel early today.

A man walked up behind them and said, "Let's make this a party."

A second man came up and said, "Let's make it a big party." The men drew pistols and, with a companion who suddenly appeared took Mitchell's watch and \$171 from the couple, a hotel clerk and the cash register.

They locked their victims in the basement and walked out.

Dixonites Help—

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the final checkup now under way. Convenient blanks will be found on page 7.

Persons having farms, greenhouses, mushroom cellars, nurseries, hatcheries, or who keep cows or other livestock, chickens or other poultry, or bees, or who grow flowers, vegetables or fruits for sale and who had \$250 or more of such product in 1939, or if less than \$250 had three or more acres in the place (on which such enterprises were conducted) are also requested to send their names and addresses, if such operations were not enumerated.

"The co-operation extended throughout our district has been an important factor in aiding our corps of enumerators in their work since the start of activities in this department," it was said by Loretta L. Grant, District Supervisor at Freeport today.

"We are confident this fine spirit will continue and our work will soon be successfully concluded," she added.

HAVE SECOND DAUGHTER

Chicago, May 1—(AP)—A daughter, Karen Christina, was born last night to Mrs. Marie Agnes Campbell, wife of William J. Campbell, United States attorney for the Northern Illinois district. The Campbells, who live in Highland Park, have another daughter, Marie Agnes, two.

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Teacher's Widow Ordered Held to Jackson Co. Jury

Carbondale, Ill., May 1—(AP)—A coroner's jury has ordered Mrs. Maud Petersen held for grand jury investigation in the gunshot death of her 62-year-old husband, Prof. Louis E. Petersen, longtime member of the southern Illinois Normal University faculty.

The 57-year-old widow remained in custody of a police nurse following the inquest late yesterday and pending completion of arrangements for her release on \$10,000 bond.

State's Attorney Clarence Wright said Mrs. Petersen told him her husband, asleep in a chair, was wounded Monday night in the accidental discharge of a .38 calibre revolver she was examining. He died yesterday.

During the official inquiry, Fred Koenig, hardware store owner, testified he sold Mrs. Petersen the second-hand revolver April 11. Koenig said he showed her how to shoot the gun and sold her six cartridges.

Mrs. Petersen had claimed she bought the gun because there had been prowlers in the neighborhood. However, she did not testify at the inquest.

The weapon was found in a coal pile in the basement of the home and Mrs. Petersen told officers she hid it there in her bewilderment after the shooting. Later she went to a neighbor's home.

Tornadic Winds—

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farm home. The wind carried her and the son into a nearby field. The boy and the girl also are in the hospital.

The storm also cut an expensive swath through neighboring Missouri, where it first struck a wooded section west of Poplar Bluff.

Births

(At Katherine Shaw Bethea Hospital)

HENLEY—Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Henley, a son, April 26.

JOHNSON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Johnson, a daughter, May 1.

MILLER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Miller, a daughter, April 30.

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observance of the Salvation Army tag day to be held Saturday, May 4th in Dixon. Several young lady workers will canvas both the business and residential districts during the day giving every citizen an opportunity to subscribe and wear a Salvation Army tag indicating their support of this worthy cause. The tag day headquarters will be located in the dining room at the Elks club house.

A. E. Marth returned to Dixon last evening, after accompanying his son and daughter, Paul and Gladys, to Wheaton on Monday to resume their studies at Wheaton college following a ten-day vacation at home; and attending a two-day meeting of grocers in Chicago.

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Golf Club

Sonny Manarchy, popular golfer of Rockford who had been engaged as golf pro of Oregon Golf club for the season, has resigned because of ill health. The club has been reorganized and will open May 2 with a stag dinner.

Home Bureau

The Oregon unit of the Ogden County Home Bureau will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clare Bradford. Miss Violet Bloudeau, home adviser, will present the major topic "Personality." Local leaders will have charge of the minor topic, "Wall Finishes."

Hostess at Luncheon

Mrs. Russell Lamb entertained at luncheon Saturday at Spoor hotel, twelve former classmates of Rockford college.

Sunday Mrs. Lamb was guest of Mrs. I. O. Borton of Minneapolis at breakfast at Rockford college.

Woman's Club

The Pine Creek Woman's club will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Weller with Mrs. John Schier assisting hostess. Mrs. Glenn Butterbaugh, program chairman, has secured Mrs. A. I. Maxwell as speaker. Miss Adelaide Noble will give several readings.

Birthday Party

Sixteen friends were guests of Lea Peterman Monday afternoon in celebration of her eleventh birthday anniversary.

Guest Speaker

Dr. L. W. Walmots was guest speaker Monday night at a meeting of the Rock Falls Rotary club. His topic was "What to do Until the Doctor Comes."

Returns to Clinic

John Marshall, one of six members of a section crew injured in an accident several weeks ago when the motor car was thrown from the rails and who was dismissed from the clinic ten days ago, returned to the clinic Saturday for further treatment.

Shower for Baby

Eight ladies gave a shower Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilde for the five weeks old baby boy which Mr. and Mrs. Wilde are adopting into their home.

Moved to Oregon

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gearhart have moved from Rockford to an apartment in the C. H. Glenn residence.

Class Meeting

The Berean class of the Methodist church was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage with Mrs. W. J. Wachlin assisting Mrs. Draper as hostess.

Carriers on Trip

Robert Bacon, Roland Young and Robert Gigous were among a group of carriers of the Dixon Evening Telegraph awarded an outing to Chicago Saturday and Sunday for securing the largest number of new subscribers to the paper.

Missionary Society

The Missionary Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet at the church Wednesday afternoon.

Mothers' Circle

The Presbyterian Mothers' Circle will meet at the church Wednesday afternoon.

Breakfast at Pines

Methodist Epworth League members held a breakfast at the Pines State park Sunday morning.

Gift of Clock

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shelly have presented an electric clock to the Oregon Methodist church.

Excursion Trip

A company of 114 people boarded the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy train at Oregon Sunday morning on an excursion trip to the Brookfield zoo.

Former Resident Dies

Word was received in Oregon Monday morning of the death of Charles Woodworth which occurred in Byron Sunday. Mr. Woodworth and family were former Oregon residents.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Woodworth and family and Mrs. W. P. Woodworth were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frapphen at Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Etnyre entertained guests Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schryver of Palo.

Miss Jacqueline Canode of Franklin Grove was a week end

visitor with her grandmother, Mrs. William Canode and aunt, Mrs. Ralph Canode and family.

Gerald Wooding was a week end visitor in Chicago. Mrs. Nell Austin of Rockford passed the week end with Oregon relatives and friends.

Misses Flo Finkboner and Helen Marcucci were in Chicago for the week end, visitors of the latter's parents.

Mrs. Rachel Hensley was a week end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laughlin at Palos Heights.

Mrs. Charles M. Gilbert entertained at a luncheon Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Berg were Chicago visitors over the week end.

Mrs. R. E. Chandler spent several days the past week with her son Malcolm and family in Oak Park.

Attorney and Mrs. John Coulter of Chicago spent the week end at their summer home north of Oregon.

Mrs. Betty Bailey and a friend Miss Coffee of Chicago spent the week end with the former's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lundstrom.

Mrs. Frank King of Rochelle was a Sunday visitor with her daughter, Mrs. M. V. Peterman and family.

Buddy Eakle had as guest the past week his cousin, Duane Simpson of Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Mrs. R. W. Thorpe is very ill following a heart attack several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Geord Bear entertained at dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Gearhart of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Colson and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gearhart.

Miss Dorothy Lewis left Sunday to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Dennis at Kansas City, Mo.

James Murdock has been confined to his home for several days, a sufferer from sinus trouble.

Mrs. Alan Grant, a teacher in a rural school, has been ill for a few days. Mrs. Jay Thomas is acting as substitute for her.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Squires of Mt. Carroll called at the Guy Bradbury home Monday en route home from Florida and other southern states where they spent the winter.

Mrs. Charles Jacobsen is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. George Blocher at Franklin Grove.

Mrs. Betty Blum of Oak Park is spending a week with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Schneider and sons Jerry and Tommy Blum.

Mrs. John Roos was guest of honor Friday night when a party of ten friends called to help celebrate her birthday anniversary.

LEE CENTER

Mrs. Eri Conibear accompanied by her son Herbert and granddaughter Judy Kaestad visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shadensack in Peru Wednesday.

A good attendance of members at the regular Rebekah lodge meeting Friday night is desired as matters of importance are to be voted upon. The May committee previously announced will serve refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brasel and Mrs. Ed Foote were Waterman visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold J. Griffith and Miss Marjorie Johnson, all of Monmouth will spend the coming week-end with the Anthony Johnsons.

Mrs. Harry Eaton who was ill last week is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Kozlowski of Peru were visitors at the Eri Conibear home Sunday.

Mrs. Earl McNinch attended the showing of "Gone With the Wind" in Mendota Thursday.

Richard Ross was ill and unable to participate in the recent music contest at Bloomington.

James Dale is improving in health at the Hines hospital but will probably have to remain there several weeks yet. His brother-in-law, John Stone of Milledgeville will carry on his sheep shearing business for him and arrangements can be made with Mrs. Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. James Klausen and family were Sunday dinner guests at the George Perry home in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eisenberg and Mrs. Katherine Taylor attended the funeral of Mrs. Walter Eastman in Dixon Wednesday.

Mrs. Eastman met a tragic death in an auto collision.

Jeffery Nattress, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nattress is recovering from acroymia, a rare children's disease which requires several months to cure but which is not contagious.

Members of the local Rebekah lodge who attended the initiation of seven members at the Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge in Dixon Friday night were Mrs. Linda Brasel, Miss Willig, Mrs. Esther Kalsted, Mrs. Esther Conibear, Alice Parlin, Mr. and Mrs. George Perry, Mrs. Mattie Klausen, Mrs. Adelaide Henschel. They report excellent degree work and a pleasant evening socially.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mason who have been continuing their bulk oil auditing work in South Carolina will now go into North Carolina. Mr. Mason has been able to resume his duties after an en-

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Too Late



By FRED HARMAN

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School Notes

Track meet at Steward Friday of this week.

B. L. P. track meet at Hennepin Wednesday, May 8.

Juniors are making plans for the junior-senior prom to be held May 17 in the school gym. The following committees have been selected: Orchestra, John Case, Iverne Fuller; program, Benny Clayton, Louise Dale and Luther Hays; decoration, Opal Spencer, Calvin Bohn and George Maves.

The annual mother-daughter banquet will be held May 10. All girls who are in good standing in G. A. A. are eligible to attend.

Those who earned awards and who are expecting to receive them at the banquet should check with Mary Kennay, point chairman. Every girl must have handed in health cards for eight weeks to be able to receive an award.

The gym class is now turned over to playing volleyball ball and kick ball which are interesting indoor group sports.

Misses Willig and Chalambe and Martha Frances Johnson participated in a delightful program church night of which Miss Albright and Grace Cox were co-chairmen. Mrs. Anthony Johnson accompanied her daughter for her violin solo.

Obituary

Flora Belle Brown was born Sept. 26, 1872 at Sublette and passed away at her home near Lee Center, April 26, 1940 at the age of 67 years and seven months. She united with the First Congregational church of Sublette in childhood, later transferring her membership to the Congregational church at Lee Center.

On Dec. 16, 1908, she was united in marriage with Joseph Nicholson of Lee Center. After finishing her high school education, she attended the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago for a time and was superintendent of the Sunday school for more than 25 years.

She was an earnest, zealous worker in the building of the Kingdom of God and her life was one of influence for righteousness. She leaves to mourn her home-going her husband, Joseph Nicholson, and a sister, Miss Nellie Brown, both of Lee Center, besides other relatives and many friends.

Funeral services were held on Sunday at 1:30 at the Vaughan funeral home in Amboy and at 2 p. m. at the Lee Center Congregational church. The Rev. Clark, church of Amboy officiated, assisted by the Rev. G. A. Cox, pastor of the Lee Center church. Mrs. Raymond Degner and Mrs. Cecil Nattress sang, accompanied by Mrs. S. L. Shaw.

Thomas Bride, Roy Conibear, William Clink, Vernon Schnell, Everett Vivian and Albert Willis served as pallbearers. The many beautiful floral offerings attested to the high esteem in which she was held. Relatives and friends were noted from Dixon, Amboy, Compton, Franklin Grove and Shawas as well as from other places. Burial was in Woodside cemetery near Lee Center.

Temperance Hill

MRS. W. J. LEAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yocum visited Tuesday evening at the Arthur Hullah home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Killmer and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Miller and family of Sublette spent Sunday afternoon with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred June of Rockford and Mrs. Blanche Frost of Leola, S. Dak., spent Sunday afternoon at the Chas. June home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roessler and family of Ottawa were dinner guests Sunday at the Kyle Miller home.

Mrs. John Meurer passed away Thursday, April 25, at the home of her son, George, after a two weeks' illness of heart trouble. She was taken ill right after the funeral of her brother, George Killmer of Amboy. The funeral was held Saturday at the home of her son and later at the Lutheran church of Amboy. Mrs. Margaret Killmer and son Philip, Mrs.

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Postponed Meeting

The Junior Woman's club meeting which was to be held on May 2, has been postponed until May 21, at which time a picnic will be held. Further announcements will be printed as more definite plans are arranged.

Rural Bridge Club

The rural bridge club met on Saturday evening in a birthday surprise party for Mrs. Hugh Wells. After the games a light lunch was served. Mrs. Olga Haug held high score for the ladies, and Mrs. Hugh Wells finished second. For the men, Hamilton Risetter took the high honors and Holden Risetter came in second.

In Compton Hospital

Archie Hampton was operated on for appendicitis at the Compton hospital on Sunday morning. At latest reports Hampton is doing as well as can be expected. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Buchanan Better

Mrs. William Buchanan, who has been quite seriously ill for the past few days, is reported to be much improved. Her many friends wish her a quick recovery from her illness.

Union Young People

On Sunday the young people from the combined churches met at the Presbyterian church. About 40 members attended this gala event. A delicious 5:30 o'clock supper was served, and various types of games were played as well as group singing. Jessamine Edwards gave a beautiful piano solo. The main event of the evening was speeches by Faye Potter, Alice Locke and Everett Urish, on the subject "Friendship". All gave very fine talks on the topic, and the listeners gained some worthwhile pointers.

Miss Joyce Cooke was the general chairman of the program. It is hoped that more of these types of union meetings will be had.

Attend Rebekah Meeting

The following members from the local Rebekah order attended an important meeting in Dixon on Friday evening. Those making the trip were: Mrs. J. R. Reynolds, Mrs. Arthur Harper, Miss Labeta Stern.

Blessed Event

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ambler are the very proud parents of an eight and one-half pound baby boy, born on Friday, April 26.

Entertain Guests

Mrs. Mabel Worsley entertained the following guests at her home on Sunday: Mrs. Jim Dubbs and daughters, Millie and Jennie and Mrs. William Ardnt, of Mendota.

Baptist Missionary

On Tuesday afternoon a large group were in attendance for the Baptist Missionary society held at the church parlors. After the regular business meeting Mrs. Ben Ketchum, acting as leader, spoke on Foreign missions. The hostesses for the day were: Mrs. Lou Runyan, Mrs. Bolden and Mrs. Herman Meyer. After the business and social time a light lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tarr of Writing, Indiana, visited relatives in Paw Paw on Sunday.

Miss Genevieve Batterton's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Craig of Rock Island, spent the week-end here.

The Misses Mabel and Frances Hunt of Chicago brought Mrs. Maude Pogue out from Chicago on Saturday, and the group spent Sunday at the Kenneth Pogue home.

Elizabeth Barth and Mrs. Harvey Killmer of Perry, Iowa, were among the ones that came to attend the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yocum and son Dale attended the Cross Roads community club at the Kesselring school Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Underhill of Amboy attended the funeral of John H. Rolfe Friday at La Grange with burial at DeKalb. Mr. Rolfe was a nephew of Mrs. Reid.

home in Waterman. They came to Paw Paw on Sunday evening and the Hunts will remain with Mrs. Pogue for the week.

Mrs. Viola Rosette, Mrs. Kenneth Rosette, Mrs. Susan Goble and Bertha were in Mendota and Ottawa on Friday.

Mrs. Ella Hatch of Sublette and Mrs. Mary Chaffee of Freeport are spending a few days at the Mrs. Lucy McBride home. Mrs. McBride just recently arrived here after spending the winter with the John Frenchs in Galesburg.

Mrs. Stella Laurant of Winamac, Indiana, spent the weekend at the Mrs. Cora McLaughlin residence.

Philip Niebergall, Jack and Mary Pfeiffer, Mrs. George Hie-man, and Mrs. Joe Safranek attended the funeral of Fred Faber at LaMoille on Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Faber was nearing 90 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Chapman were Sunday dinner guests at the Edward Ulrich home near Hinckley.

Dick Meade and Julius Brewer were Peru visitors on Sunday.

Mrs. George Kelly, Mrs. Mabel Worsley and Mrs. James Kneisch were in Dixon on business Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harper and Mrs. Tillie Weaver were Sunday visitors in DeKalb.

Mrs. Clifton Wick, Mrs. James Gallagher, Mrs. Eldo Johnson, Mrs. Bayle Harper and daughter LaRayne, were in Mendota on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McLaughlin, Mrs. Cora McLaughlin, Mrs. Stella Laurant of Winamac, Ind., and Scott McLaughlin visited at the Roy Hutchinson home in Ohio on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Tessler of Dixon were Sunday callers at the George Kelly home.

Stanley Kneisch was home from the University of Illinois over the week-end, spending the time at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kneisch.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leuer of Mendota visited on Sunday at the Lewis and Orville Henry homes.

The Overright family has purchased the property recently vacated by Mrs. Rafferty and will take possession soon. Mrs. Rafferty and family will move into the house known as the Chichester property.

On Sunday Donald Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gallagher, Miss Rosemond Harto and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Iverson and son Gilbert were entertained at the Arthur Chowning home.

Miss Emma King and Ellman Crouch of Rochelle were Sunday visitors at the Phillip Crouch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith are moving into the Mrs. Jay Coss house.

Mrs. Dee McLaughlin, Miss Labeta Stern, Mrs. Della Harper, Mildred and Mabel Schreck were Aurora visitors on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kneisch were Dixon visitors on Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Harris is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Betz of Fairbury are spending a few days with relatives here.

Bill Doakes and Orin Nelson were LaSalle visitors on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Taber were Sunday dinner guests at the G. B. Taber home.

Mrs. I. H. Breese and Eulalia were Rockford visitors on Saturday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. James H. Hagerty and family visited on Friday with relatives in Libertyville.

Merritt Runyan of Aurora visited at the Mrs. Lou Runyan home on Saturday.

C. A. Moore is on the sick list this week and his many friends wish him a quick recovery. Miss Labeta Stern, Miss Agnes Truckenbrod, Mabel and Mildred Schreck and Homer Betz were Mendota visitors on Sunday.

Mt. Morris

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G. A. A. Play Day

On Saturday, May 4th, the Mt. Morris high school girls' athletic Assoc. will be hostess to high schools in this district in an annual Spring Play Day. Approximately 150 girls are expected to attend. The activities for the day include relays, target toss, badminton, volleyball, ping pong and swimming events. The theme

is "Navy Day" and the ten teams will represent ten ocean liners. The committees are as follows:

Commodore: Charlotte Palmer; Staff Captain: Ann Schrader; Purser: Janette Hiltner; Stewardesses: dressing rooms, Shirley Frey, Fern Waddelow; shower room, Leona Palmer. Chief Officers: travelers' relay, Mary Bea Edson; target toss, Jeanne Smith; badminton, Opal Ballard; ping pong, Mary J. Middleton; volleyball, Carol Pittenger; swimming, Charlotte Palmer, Audrey Wynne.

Chefs: Harriet Weller, Myrtle Burke, Betty Stonebraker, Betty Lou Stage. Equipment Crew: Tena May Suter, Helen Baker, Clara Manny.

At the conclusion of the sports events which last from 9:30 a. m. to 1:00 p. m. a luncheon for all the girls will be held at the high school. Charlotte Palmer, president of the local G. A. A., will give the welcome, after which short talks by school representatives will be given. Presentation of awards; a modern dance review by the high school ballet class; school movies; presentation of awards and songs will conclude the events for the day.

Ladies' night will be observed by the Kiwanis club tonight when they meet at the V. F. W. hall for six o'clock dinner. Arnold Thomas has charge of the program and will present 50 high school students in their winning sections at the state music contests held recently.

A board meeting of the 12th district Illinois Federation of Women's clubs was held Monday evening at the Baptist church. Dinner was served at 6:30. Fifty-five were present.

The 12th district convention was held Tuesday at the Presbyterian church with a banquet at the Mendota Township high school at 6:45 o'clock.

Kiwanis Club

Mendota Kiwanis club met for regular noonday dinner at Hotel Faber. In addition to the regular members, guests were present from the Lions club, Elks club, also various business men.

Leslie Oester who is in charge of "Public Affairs" of the Kiwanis club was principle speaker. His subject was "Civic Betterment of the Community, from a Business, Social and Cultural Standpoint."

A representative from the So-

cial Security Board will be at Mendota postoffice Wednesday, May 1, between the hours of 2 p. m. and 4:30 p. m. to answer questions concerning the monthly old age and survivors insurance under the Social Security act.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Paige entertained a group of friends Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. Minnie Cook. Mrs. Cook has been living with her daughter Mrs. Orrie Moorehouse this winter. Mrs. Cook left Monday for Rockford where she has secured employment.

Two Mendota Township high school students placed fourth in their fifth annual state speech and drama festival at the University of Illinois Saturday. Dean Whitmore in serious reading and Christ Troupis in extemporaneous speaking.

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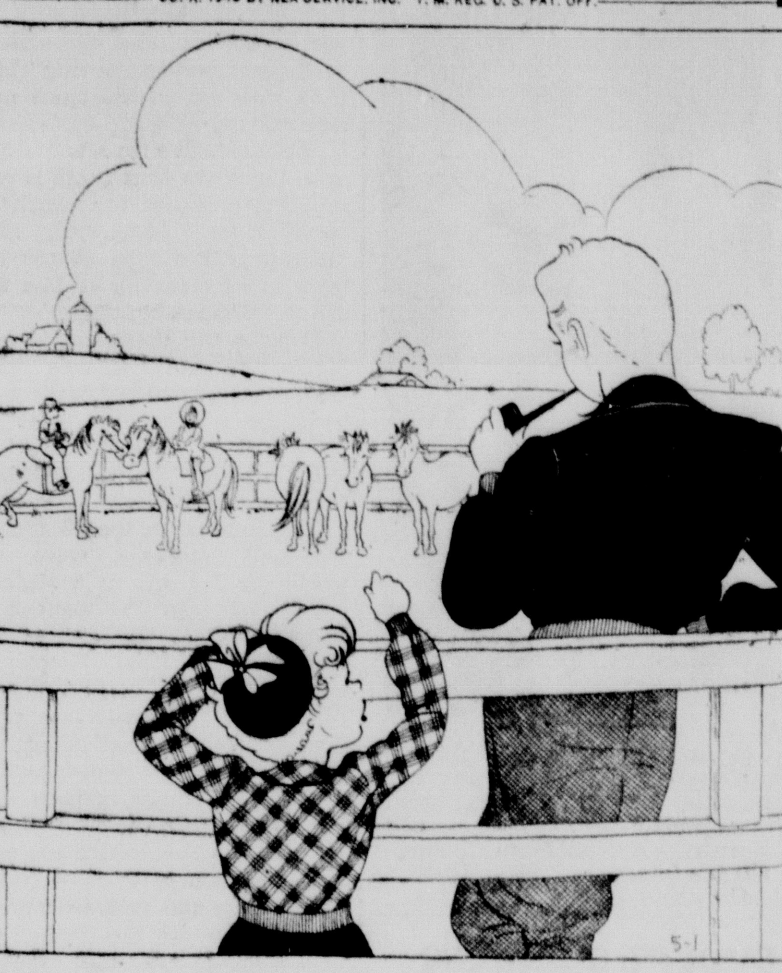
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TO the heirs at law and legatees of Besse M. Gibson, Deceased:—
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final report in the Estate of Besse M. Gibson, deceased, and that the same has been set for hearing on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1940 at ten o'clock A. M. in the County Court Room in the County Court House at Dixon, Illinois, at which time the undersigned will ask that said report be approved and an order of distribution entered.
Robert L. Warner
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Besse M. Gibson, deceased.
April 24-May 1st.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT
State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. Estate of Edward O'Connell, Deceased.
Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the estate of Edward O'Connell, deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee county, at the court house in Dixon on the 13th day of May, 1940, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.
Dixon, Illinois, April 23, A. D. 1940.
Robert E. O'Connell, Executor,
John J. Armstrong, Attorney.
April 24 and May 1, 1940.

MEDAL FOR COHAN
Washington, May 1—(AP) — Actor George M. Cohan received from President Roosevelt today a gold medal for composing the patriotic songs "Over There" and "A Grand Old Flag".
Congress authorized the medal four years ago, but it had been kept in a White House safe until Cohan could be here to receive it.

Colombia placed a 9 per cent tax on capital prizes won in lotteries to aid the deaf and blind in the country.

Hand embroidery engages 25,000 workers in Funchal, Madeira. Embroidered articles are the island's chief export trade item.



POLITICS

AP Reports Gossip
Among Politicians
in Washington

Washington, May 1—(AP)—With President Roosevelt and Thomas E. Dewey ahead in instructed delegates for the Democratic and Republican presidential nominations, the biggest delegate-picking month of the pre-convention period opened today.

Republicans, who have chosen 514 of their 1,000 delegates, will select 477 in 265 states during May and virtually complete their list.

Democrats have chosen 374 of their 1,094 delegates. They will pick at least 392 more in 18 states in May but leave a sizable number for selection in June.

Leading with 305 pledged and semi-pledged delegates, it appeared likely today that Roosevelt would go into the Democratic convention with a comfortable majority either for himself or for a candidate of his choice.

Iowa Democratic leaders appear to have decided to give their 22 convention votes to the chief executive. This was indicated after a conference yesterday between Ed H. Birmingham state Democratic chairman, Secretary Wallace, and Senators Gillette and Herring.

Herring said the state delegation would be instructed for the president at a convention May 11. If Roosevelt does not run, he added, Wallace would be given a "favorite son" vote.

In the Massachusetts primary yesterday, Democratic delegates pledged to Postmaster General Farley either won or were leading their uncommitted opponents. However, should the president seek a third term, the delegation with 34 votes—was expected to support him.

Roosevelt would not comment at a press conference yesterday on an agreement reached between his backers and those of Vice President Garner whereby the Texas delegation will be instructed for Garner but will endorse the Roosevelt-Garner administration and declare that it is not part of an "anti-third term" movement.

Garner has declared that he is a candidate whether or not Roosevelt runs, but Senator Wheeler (D-Mont) and Federal Security Administrator McNutt have made their candidacies contingent on the president's retirement.

Wheeler told reporters in New York yesterday that he could not conceive of Roosevelt's accepting the nomination. Asked whether that statement did not make him a candidate now, the senator smilingly replied, "That's right."

On the Republican side, uncommitted delegates were selected yesterday in Massachusetts and Tennessee. In the former state, primary voters chose a Republican slate-at-large headed by Governor Saltonstall and rejected an old age pension group supporting Dewey without his authorization.

Dewey's supporters in Tennessee expressed confidence that they could control the state's 18 votes, even though the convention did not instruct the delegates.

A statement that Dewey's managers were making "absurd" claims of delegate strength was issued by the Washington headquarters of Senator Taft of Ohio, though the candidate for the Republican presidential nomination.

It declared Taft would have more votes on the first ballot than anyone else and would be nominated when a majority of the delegates felt "free to exercise their own judgment."

Chicago, May 1—(AP)—Several hundred thousand Chicago and suburban residents went without milk and cream for breakfast this morning.

A strike voted by the milk wagon drivers union halted virtually all home deliveries in the metropolitan area.

Drivers stopped work because of a dispute over a new wage contract with The Associated Milk Dealers of Chicago. Their old contract expired at midnight last night.

Negotiations between union representatives and the dealers broke down shortly before 2 A. M. and union officials announced the strike was on.

Dealers sought a contract calling for a wage scale of \$30-per-week, plus commissions. The union held out for the old scale of \$48, plus commissions.

Residents in the metropolitan area consume more than 1,500,000 quarts of milk daily. An estimated 48 per cent is home-delivered.

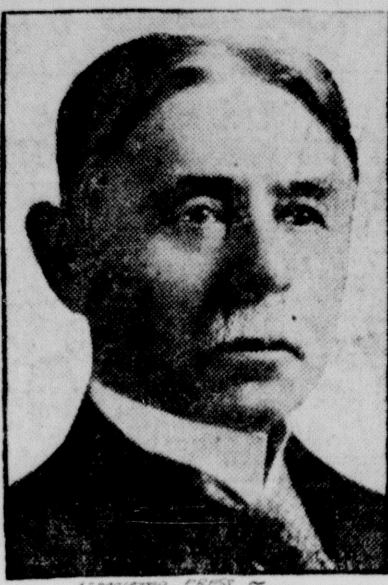
Approximately 4,000 drivers were affected by the dispute. Frank Gillespie, president of the dairy employees union, announced that the approximately 2,000 members of his union would join the strike. Both the "inside workers" and the drivers unions are A. F. of L. affiliates.

Milk dealers contended an immediate pay slash was required by the increased unit cost of distribution by wagon. They attributed the increase to a boost in the store sales of milk.

The new Curtiss-Wright twin-engine passenger liner is 75 feet long and 108 feet in wing span. Its four fuel tanks carry 1000 gallons. The plane has two 1600 horsepower engines which drive the plane at a top speed of 243 miles an hour.

Unlike fresh water, sea water becomes heavier as it cools, until the freezing point is reached.

Career Ends



FURNIFOLD M. SIMMONS

(By The Associated Press)

It was said of Fourniford McLendon Simmons (who died late Tuesday at New Bern, N. C.) by an historian of his state that no other North Carolinian ever accomplished more for the benefit of the country and for the advancement and honor of the Democratic party.

Senator Simmons was a stalwart in the ranks and councils of his party for more than 50 years; also, he was known as a man of strong convictions, firmness and determination.

He had been a leader in the prohibition movement in his state, consequently, he vigorously opposed the nomination of Alfred E. Smith as Democratic candidate for the presidency in 1928 because of the latter's attitude toward the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act.

After the New York governor had been nominated, Senator Simmons resigned his membership on the Democratic National Committee and announced that he would not vote for Smith. At the same time he made it clear that he had no intention of voting for Herbert Hoover, the Republican nominee.

Recognition as Democratic leader in North Carolina came to the senator because of the many political battles he waged in behalf of and in defense of his party. With one exception they were successful battles. In the campaign of 1894 the Populist movement swept the Democrats out of power in North Carolina and placed the state government in the hands of the Republicans, many of whom were Negroes.

The Democrats then turned to Simmons who was practicing law at New Bern. He was chosen chairman of the State Democratic Committee, put together a strong organization and won a striking victory in the campaign of 1898. As a reward his party elected him United States Senator in 1900 and repeatedly returned him to the upper house of Congress. Almost from the beginning of his service in the Senate his counsel and advice were sought on legislation advocated by his party. For many years he was the ranking Democrat on the Finance Committee and was chairman of the committee from 1913 to 1919.

Mr. Simmons was elected in 1886 to the Fifty-fifth Congress as representative from the Second North Carolina district and at the expiration of his term returned to the practice of law. In 1893 he was appointed collector of internal revenue for the Eastern District of North Carolina and served during the second administration of President Grover Cleveland.

The senator was born in Jones County, North Carolina, January 20, 1854. He was educated at Wake Forest College and Trinity College (now Duke University) being graduated from the latter in 1873. He then took up the study of law and was admitted to the bar in 1875. Trinity College and the University of North Carolina conferred upon him the honorary degree of doctor of laws.

In 1875 Senator Simmons married Miss Elizabeth Hill Humphrey. They had three children. Mrs. Simmons died in 1883 and on July 29, 1886, the senator married Miss Belle Gibbs. Two children were born of that marriage.

The latest figures released by the British Ministry of Transport report that the sale of new cars in Britain fell 77.3 per cent during the first four months of the war as compared to the corresponding months of 1938.

The army air corps has found in the country as a whole that only 20 to 25 per cent of those applying for training in the pilot training program pass the physical examination.

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Wheat Producers
Count Profits on
Grain Price Rise

Chicago, May 1—(AP)—Although Uncle Sam claimed title today to an undetermined amount of mortgaged 1939 wheat, grain-belt farmers who repaid government loans have turned a profit on the transaction principally because of the war and a domestic crop scare.

The government's 1939 wheat-loan program, a phase of the ever-normal granary plan, has ended except for loans on about 21,000,000 bushels of grain stored on farms. These can be extended a year. Outstanding loans not eligible for extension will be called.

How much grain the government eventually will possess because of defaulted loans cannot be determined as yet.

Originally the Commodity Credit Corporation advanced more than \$110,000,000 on 167,000,000 bushels but recently farmers have been repaying loans at the rate of about \$7,000,000-weekly. Thus, the bulk of the grain has been redeemed by producers taking advantage of the 20 cents a bushel or more price rise above original loan rates.

Terminal markets have been flooded with receipts of wheat which would have been marketed last summer and fall had it not been for the loan program. However, much repossessed wheat is believed to be held by producers who are speculating in the hope of a further price upturn. Much grain that was priced as low as 60 cents last summer at market now is worth above \$1 has been refinanced through banks and other lending institutions.

Chair for Boys,
Alleged Rapist-
Killer, Demanded

Crawfordsville, Ind., May 1—(AP)—A jury which heard the state plea for the death penalty and the defense describe Thomas Allen Boys, charged with first degree, as mentally unstable expected today to begin deliberations before nightfall.

Only the final argument of Nelson White of Covington, a special prosecutor, remained before Circuit Judge Edgar A. Rice could instruct the jury of 11 farmers and a school principal.

Any one of five verdicts is possible: Conviction of first degree murder, second degree murder or manslaughter; acquittal; or acquittal by reason of insanity.

Boys, 28-year-old Attica golf course greenkeeper, is accused of strangling Elizabeth Debruecker, 11, Fountain county 4-H club member, and burying the body in a shallow grave.

In final arguments yesterday afternoon Forrest and James Wallace, father-and-son defense counsel, argued that Attica officers arrested "Lunatic Tom" because they were "on the spot" and quoted Roy Fenters, one of the prosecutors, as saying he did not believe Boys was guilty after visiting him at the West Lafayette state police post.

The defense attorneys said the state's case was based on circumstantial evidence "except for the mouthings of a lunatic" and assailed prosecution contentions that Boys made an oral confession, saying he did so "to escape questioning."

Fenters, who preceded the Wallace, summed up the state's evidence, discounted the insanity defense, and demanded conviction and death in the electric chair.

HEARING MAY 7
San Diego, Calif., (AP)—Howard L. Lawrence, 40, arrested by federal agents on a charge of embezzling \$11,224 from the Danville, Ill., First National Bank in 1932, was arraigned yesterday before a U. S. commissioner. A removal hearing was set for May 7, contingent upon arrival of a copy of the indictment from Illinois.

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Named to "Rule"
Norway for Nazis

Josef Terboven (above), considered one of Adolf Hitler's most spirited district leaders, has assumed the civil administration of German-occupied areas in Norway. A Nazi State Councillor, Terboven had been District Governor of the Essen area.

EXPECT 9 HORSES
TO RUN IN DERBY

By SID FEDER

Louisville, Ky., May 1—(AP)—It's one of those daffy things without rhyme or reason, like the guy who took off his hat because his feet were hot, but all signs pointed today to the fact that eight other horses actually are going to the post with Bimblech in the Kentucky Derby Saturday.

What they'll be in there pitching for no one among the thousands already in Derby town for the big show seems to know. Of course, that \$8,000 second money "ain't hay," and in times like these you're not sneezing at \$2,000 for third or even \$1,000 for fourth. But there doesn't seem to be any chance for anything with four legs catching Bimblech once he throws 'er in high.

The way he came home in 1:38 on a slow track in the Derby trial at Churchill Downs yesterday made one thing just about a dead-end cinch. The other fellows are going to get a lot of his dust kicked in their faces.

Five See the Light
Several of the candidates thought they had an outside chance up to yesterday. But after the trial was over, five of them saw the light. Of those in the trial, only Mrs. Ethel V. Mars' Gallahadion which ran a creditable second to Bimblech yesterday, and Charles T. Fisher's Sirocco, which wound up third, will get a ticket to the Derby post.

These and the other die-hard optimists who still think maybe Bimblech'll run the wrong way or something, make the picture for the Derby post parade look something like this:

Horse, Owner, Prob. Jockey, App. Odds:
Bimblech, Col. E. R. Bradley, Freddie Smith—2-5.
Dit, Arnold Hanger, Buddy Haas—8-1.

Mioland, Charles S. Howard, Leon Balaski—10-1.
Pictor—William L. Brann, Geo. Woolf—10-1.

Gallahadion, Mrs. Ethel V. Mars, Carroll Bierman—15-1.
Roman, Joseph E. Wiedner, Wayne Wright—15-1.

Royal Man, Harold S. Clark, Johnny Gilbert—25-1.
Sirocco, Charles T. Fisher, Anton Bodion—30-1.

Sky Dog, Harry M. Warner, Nick Wall—200-1.

The only possible addition to this field, at this writing, seems to be if Herbert M. Woolf decides to start Inscold. He's been debating the thing for days, because he'd like his colors represented.

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McNutt Reports
Increased Jobs
Given in March

Washington, May 1—(AP)—Federal Security Administrator McNutt reported today that private employers had hired 18 per cent more persons during March than they did in the same month last year.

"Authoritative reports x x x," he said, "indicate that there is an increasing demand for workers in industry and commerce. Slowly but surely the level of the country's great reservoir of idle workers is falling x x x."

Despite the optimism voiced in McNutt's report, it was disclosed that congressional leaders were weighing a suggestion that additional funds be allocated to the WPA, should need arise before the fiscal year closes June 30.

The figures on the March employment increase were made public by McNutt in a statement coincident with President Roosevelt's proclamation designating this as "National Employment week."

In connection with the proclamation, McNutt instructed state directors of 1,600 Federal employment bureaus and officers of the CCC, the National Youth Administration and the office of education to cooperate with civic organizations and private employers to find jobs for the unemployed.

"I suggest," he said, "that during this 'national employment week' there be set up 3,000 permanent local committees of representative citizens x x x to go over the whole Federal and local governmental employment program and to keep constantly at work stimulating for placements."

McNutt said that state public employment services had made more placements in March than in the same month of any preceding year.

McNutt reported job placements in March, 1940, by states, with the percentage of change from March, 1939, included:

Those with increases:
Kentucky 2,026 and 57.5; Michigan 7,881 and 24.4; Ohio 12,024 and 39.3; Illinois 11,536 and 6.4; Wisconsin 4,604 and 2.7; Minnesota 3,320 and 0.4; Missouri 6,098 and 38.4.

Those with decreases:
Indiana 6,803 and 2.6; Iowa 4,068 and 24.2.

McNutt reported that unemployment benefit payments by states, for March, 1940, with percentages of change from the previous month, included:

Those with increases: Kentucky \$44,010 and 21.3; Michigan, \$2,035,601 and 2.1; Ohio \$2,640,000 and 22.3; Minnesota \$1,421,091 and 18.4.

Those with decreases:
Illinois \$3,399,685 a decrease of 3.1 per cent; Indiana \$971,437 and 3.6; Wisconsin \$500,540 and 2.8; Iowa \$567,981 and 4.5; Missouri 706,941 and 0.4.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES
St. Louis—(AP)—Sam Breadon, owner of the St. Louis Cardinals, suggests a new way to curb the autograph business: "Get all the baseball players, movie stars and actors to band together and pledge to charge 10 cents for each signature, all the money to go to the Red Cross. That would raise a lot of money for a worthy cause for a year or two and then the autograph hunters would cease to be such a nuisance."

Factory sales of automobiles and trucks during the first quarter of 1940 totaled 1,310,234 units, a gain of 23 per cent over the same period of 1939.

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Royal Japanese
Schoolboy

Having reached the age of 7, His Imperial Highness Prince Akihito of Japan has started his formal education at the Peers School in Tokyo. He is pictured above in the regulation uniform worn by Japanese schoolboys.

Two Butchers' Union
Agents Face Prison

Chicago, May 1—(AP)—Two business agents of a butchers' union were convicted by a Criminal court jury last night on a charge of assault to commit mayhem on Czeslaw L. Mikolajczyk, a former member of the union.

The verdict, returned after nearly four-hours' deliberation, carries a mandatory prison sentence of one to 14 years.

Mikolajczyk, speaking through an interpreter, testified that the two agents, Joseph Kopke and Harry Hlavcek, attacked him January 6 in a butcher shop where he worked as a porter. He said he was not a union employee at that time.

The men, representatives of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters & Butcher Workers of North America, were indicted on six counts as a result of the alleged beating. Counsel for the business agents contended their clients struck the 51-year-old porter in self defense.

Judge Joseph A. Graber set May 10 as the date for hearing a motion for a new trial.

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The War Today—

(Continued from Page 1.)

to await something more substantial than the present status of the battle of Norway, however, before abandoning non-belligerency.

In picking the side he wants to fight with, the Italian leader is likely to keep in mind the axiom to which a British official referred the other day—no nation has ever been defeated while having control of the seas. That is a solid thought to chew on. Germany's task is to dispose of the allied fleet.

As regards the actual battle of Norway, there can be no doubt that the allies have a tremendous job ahead of them.

They will almost literally have to blast the Germans out if they are to liberate the country.

If the nazis actually have joined their southern and northern forces and thus placed a barrier between the two arms of the Anglo-French expedition, the allies probably will have to abandon their base at Andalsnes. (M5 on map, page 1) southwest of Trondheim, (P8) and base further operations at Namsos, (R9) the port they hold to the northeast of Trondheim.

The predicament of the allied force based on Andalsnes is serious. The jubilant Germans are preparing to attack this isolated unit with the idea of driving it into the sea.

The tight place the allies find themselves in is due primarily to the fact that the Germans have been able to employ their air-fleet to full advantage while the Anglo-French have been hamstrung in this respect. Not only have the Germans had air bases in Denmark, close to Norway, but right at the outset they seized all the worth-while Norwegian airports and thereby established bases in the field of operations.

The allies, on the other hand, have to operate largely from home bases, involving long flights. Their planes had to make return flights on their initial load of gasoline in addition to doing their bombing and fighting over Norway.

That was an impossible handicap. The German success has been due almost entirely to air superiority. Until the allies find a way of challenging that they are not likely to get ahead with their job of evicting the nazis from Norway.

Any suggestion that the allies might abandon the campaign is perhaps well-answered in a British communiqué which announces in a matter-of-fact that "fresh landings have taken place on the coast of Norway."

I am reminded of an incident I encountered in France during the great German drive of 1918 in the World War. The 51st British division came under a terrific assault by forces out-numbering